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TELEGRAMS."

THE ROYAL WEDDING.

OPERA PERFORMANCE.

Reuter's

[Service to the "Telegraph."]

London, May 24.

Reuter's [Service to the "Telegraph."]

Reuter's Berlin correspondent A later message states that in says all Their Majesties were present at a gala performance of house. "So long as the German prominent people, collapsed. tongue is spoken," added the Fortunataly the tide was out at Victoria Louise, the bride, who, and the part they have played in ously injured. Huge crowds wait outside the the development of the Father.

Castle, the Crown Prince's Palace, the British and Russian Embassies, and wherever there is a en route for Hubertsock, where chance of seeing King George and Queen Mary and the Czar. The crowds. hawkers do a thriving trade in

The Czar Departs."

King George and Peace.

little German flags bearing

portraits of the bride and bride-

groom, and some are trying their

luck with Union Jacks.

King George, in the morning, examined the wedding gifts at the Castle, afterward receiving at the British Embassy a deputation from the British Colony, who read a loyal address to His! Majesty. The King, in reply, ple says that the steamer Nevada, said :- " By fostering and main- flying the American flag, but taining kindly relations and a lowned by a Turkish firm, struck good understanding between a mine in the Gulf of Smy.na. yourselves and the pupple of your Eighty of the 200 passengers adopted home, you are helping were raved by a French warship. was to join with other regiments to ensure the peace of the world, the preservation of which is my fervent desire, as it was the chief aim of my dear father."

Troops Inspected.

1st Dragoon Guards, at Tempai. mostly Turkish refugess. hoferfeld. Sham fighting was arranged, and was followed by was the first on the spot but the usual evolutions. His Majesty was swamped in the commotion expressed : ) the Commander his caused by the explosion of the lively satisfaction with the soldiers' fine appearance, and smart manouvring.

Gifts and Honours.

The Czar presented Dr. Bethmann von Hollweg with a silver casket, get with precious stones, and King G. rge conferred on the Chancellor the Grand Cross of the Victorian Order.

King George bestowed the Grand Cross of the Victorian Order on the Foreign Minister, Herr von Jagow, and the German Ambassader to London.

The Czar also conferred the Alexander Nevsky Order on Herr von Jagow.

The Wedding.

Saturday afternoon, in fine weath- courses on the Empire, and to er. The procession was a most witness firework displays and brilliant one, being headed by illuminations. the Duke of Cumberland, the impressive ceremonies and festi- that at a boxing contest at Cal-Ozar and Queen Mary, King vities. of Germany, and other Royalties. The procession proceeded through the Castle to the
Chapel, which was filled by a
distinguished company, includ
Mawson Expedition's Greetings.

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hope," in the first round.

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MeCarthy fell and and died in a
few minutes.

Reuter's Tokyd correspondent
sions in the manner explained by garians, the Greeks he
for the Colonies as follows:—
few minutes.

Reuter's Tokyd correspondent
in the condition of the Emperor,
clove oil and then placed it in
a plain piece of paper. He
counts of the movement
few minutes.

Taken wires that the condition George and the Crown Princess
Mawson Expedition's Greetings. Galgary, knocked out Luther Mcing diplomats. The Court Chap-lain performed the cremony, Convey Empire Day greatings." which was followed by a conbanquet.

public in srest, and the vicinity would be a poor substitute for the of the Palace was packed all day strong, yet flexible and unfelt Waves of chearing marked the us into the breach in the time of four wickets.

TELEGRAMS.

THE ROYAL WEDDING.

THE KAISER'S TOAST.

London, May 25.

toasting the bridal pair, the York wires that a crowd

They were cheered by enormous

The Czar has left for Russis.

STRUCK A MINE

STEAMER'S MISHAP.

London, May 25.

· A telegram from Constantino-

A Terrible Catastrophe.

Lloyd's Agent at Smyrna wires that 40 were drowned by the sinking of the Nevada.

According to Reuter's corres-King George on Friday morn- pendent, the Nevada sank in a ing inergorad his Regiment, the minute. The passengers were

A boat from a French steamer Nevada's boilers.

As the accident happened outside the mine-field, it appears that there are some mines adrift. Al. navigation in the vicinity has accordingly been suspended.

EMPIRE DAY.

WIDESPREAD CELEBRATIONS

London, May 25.

Jacks. Bills were rung merrily, and guns in garrison towns fired salutes. The National Anthem was sung in the schools and the children paraded in the parks to The marriage was celebrated salute the flag, listen to dis-

the bridal pair, followed by the Messages from the Colonies tell Emperor and the Duchess of of lavish expenditure on the Camberland, the Empress and celebration as a public holiday, of

The Australian Premier, Mr. gratulatory reception and a State Fisher, sent the following telegram to the "Times":-" The The wedding created great on several parts of the Empire. with an enthus astic crowd. ties of love and duty, which call passage of the automobiles bring- danger. If the annual Imperial ing the Royalties to and fro. Conferences were held not always runs. The weather was cool, but over in London we would hear less of . Empire dangers."

TELEGRAMS.

PIER ACCIDENT IN U.S. A.

30 BRITISHERS KILLED.

Reuter's [Service to the "Telegraph."] London, May 25.

Reuter's correspondent at New

molored to the railway station of the pier collapsed, precipitating tranquility has prevailed. hundreds of holiday-makers on the honeymoon is being spent, to the sands 25 feet below, and wounded in the recent fights, always occurring in a war. Hundreds of people in the galleries were preciptated on to the heads of these.

All were Britishers or of British extraction.

THE FRENCH TROUBLES.

A PLOT PREVENTED.

London, May 25.

Reuter's Paris correspondent says it has been ascertained that the instigators of the outbreak at Rodez included an ex-convict and several members of the Confederation of Labour. Their plan in breaking into the magazine, but this was foiled by the arrival of the Colonel and the officers. When the men, in response to the bugle call, trooped into the barrack square in full marching order a major snatched a rifle from a soldier and shouted, "The first to advance is a dead man." effect was electrical in checking the demonstrators.

Civil War!

The action of the Government in prohibiting the annual celebration of the Commune at Pere-la-Chaise led to noisy scanes in the Chamber of Deputies, the Socialists declaring that the introduc-Bathou (Minister of War) ment by 381 votes to 186.

. A Loyal Regiment.

A telegram from Nancy states that the 164th Regiment, return-Empire Day was observed on a ing from a field day, sang the CONVICTED OF BRIBERY. growing scale. Everywhere there "Marseillaise" and cheered for was a goodly display of Union the Three Years' Service scheme. NEW YORK OF FICIAL'S CRIME 13 was lanzine which could

BOXING TRAGEDY.

DIES IN THE RING.

London, May 25.

A New York message states

HOME CRICKET.

London, May 25.

Northants 1 at Lancashire by

by Bix Wickets.

TELEGRAMS. TELEGRAMS.

the Proprietor.

GREEKS AND BULGARIANS.

THE BALKAN CRISIS.

Reuters [Service to the "Telegraph."] London, May 25.

A message from Athens states troops in future.

afternoon of the 23rd two com- ancient prejudicit, to abandon a In appears that, under the panies of Bulgarians attacked a few guns rather than sacrifice weight of the throng in the two company of Greeks at Semalton, human life. It was inadvisable to The bridal pair subsequently storeyed pavilion, the shore end but were repulsed. Since then gay at present whether individual

Prospects of Peace.

A more hopeful feeling existed amoung the Balkan Delegates in London on Friday owing to the BANKNOTE IMPRESSION indications that the Turkish modifications of the Peace Treaty will not be so far reaching as was expacted.

A Peace Delegate interviewed by Reuter expressed the hope that peace would be signed early next weak.

MALTA.

AUTONOMY WANTED.

London, May 52. Mr. Asquith and Mr. Churchill have concluded a tour in the Mediterranean by an inspection of the defendess of Malta and fleet exercises; and by nitnessing Mr. R. O. Faithfull, defended, a navel and military Toliew.

A deputation of Malter, presented to Mr. Asquith a Memorandum urging the grant

autonamy to Malta. Mr. Asquith made a speech in which to dwelt upon the peculiar position of Malta, owing to its strategical value to the Empire. and promised to give his careful consideration to the Memorandum.

MONGOLIA.

DEMAND FOR AUTONOMY.

London, May 25. tion of the three years' service ceived at St. Petersburg says that bi-carborate which could be used meant civil war and accusing M. the Princes of Inner Mongolia, medicinally, and for Icosening the while proclaiming their loyalty fibre of par er. No. 10 was turn eninaugurating a regime of re- to the Republic, have protested tine which could be used for cold action. The Chamber passed a against the intention, of the or cleaning. One could remove vote of confidence in the Govern- Chinese Government to transform grease or oil from a banknote demanded autonomy and the which could be used for toothright to raise their own troops.

London, May 25. Codes Committee of New York which accumulated on a banknote pire by. Steate Senate. has been convicted by handling. No 14 was creosote of bribery in connection with which could be used for toothache. A general improvement in the Exchange reform legislation.

THE MIKADO.

IMPROVEMENT RECORDED

London, May 25.

Tokyo wires that the condition then took a piece of rabber ing Royalty in Berlin. of the Emperor is increasingly tubing and rolled the piece satisfactory.

Notts defeated Spasex by 35 Colonel Seely and Lord Roberts of banknote paper, scaking the Mr. Stilwell, Chairman of the have agreed to debate the question latter in oil of cloves. Olubion the 26th June. | went to press.

THE ITALIAN REVERSE.

London, May 25.

A QUESTION OF TACTICS.

Reuter's [Service to the "Telegraph."]

The Under Secretary of War, toasting the bridal pair, the York wires that a crowd of that King Constantine has gone replying to a question in the Kaiser congratulated his daughter Britishers were celebrating Em- to Salonika in order to arrange an Italian Chamber with regard to on following the dictates of her pire Dayatthe Pier Pavilion, Long extensive neutral zone with a the recent reverse of the Italian the opera "Lohengrin," this heart by giving her hand to a Beach, California, when the plat- view to preventing fresh conflicts troops near Tripoli, admitted the opera being the choice of Princess man of a noble German princely form, which was crowded with between Greek and Bulgarian loss of four gars, but said they were rendered useless before they A message from Salonika states were abandoned. He printed with the bridegroom, occupied Kaiser, "it will tell of the time, but 30 people, mostly that the fighting at Valtaista put that in modern tactics it was the place of honour in the Royal Guelphs and the Hobenzollerns women, were killed and 50 seri- ceased on the 22nd inst., but on considered preferable, despite

> responsibility was apart from the The Greeks have lost 250 killed unforeseen regrettable incidents

> > CASE.

Remarkable Evidence of the Government Analyst.

The case in which Anton Hauler, an Austrian, is charged with officers. being in possession of bank-nots impressions, again came before Mr C. D. Meltourne, at the Police Court, this afternoon.

Mr. Lewis, of Messes. Johnson, Stokes and Master, prosecuted on babalf of the police, Mr. Shenton, of Mesers. ROYALISTS FOUND GUILTY. Deacon, Laoker, Deacon and Harston, looked on on that of the Chartered Bank of India, whilst

certain chemicals. Mr. Faithfull said there was acquitted twenty-five. nothing in the evidence, as far

as he knew, to show that the chemicals were in defendant's GASWORKS EXPLOSION. possession. Mr I :wis said he thought Mr

Faithfull was wrong.

fendants' room. The exhibit, No. were killed and twenty injured. 2, was clove oil which could be used either for toorbrohe or A telegram from Mukden re- loosening ink. No 9, was sodium

Mongolia into a Province, and with it. No. 11 was carbolic acid ache. It was no use for dealing with ink, as far as he knew. No 12 was encalyptus oil which Russia. could be used for cold. That was no use for removing ink. No. be used for clearing varnish or oil from anything. It might be Sixteen Portuguese Royalists within the octave of Corpus Mr. Stilwell, Chairman of the used for cleaning off the grease have been found guilty of cons- Christi, the annual procession No 15 was a solution of iodine condition of the Mikado which could be used for testing reported. ink. The bank note impression exhibits were also handed to him. They all smelt of oil of cloves. Balkan War will be signed early Mr Weigal explained to bim how this week!

the impressions were made. Wit-Later. clove oil and then placed it in Telegrams give interesting ac-Reuter's correspondent at a plain piece of paper. He counts of the movements of visitof paper containing, the note Colonel Seely and Lord Robatts Theatre. round the tubing and rolled it are to debate National Entire at along the tak') with a bottle, the Eighty Club on June 26th; After rolling it (rolling-pin fashion) for a querter of an nour, he got the impression, pro- first round of a fight with Arthur p.m. he invitation Pelkev. Luther McCarty suc- Monday. June 2. of the police he took a reveral cumbed.

London, May 25. impression of the note on a piers of the police he took a reveres cumbed.

TELEGRAMS.

PROPOSED STATUES.

ANGLO-AMERICAN PEACE

Router's [Service to the "Telegraph,"] London, May 25.

A message from New York states that the Committee in charge of the calebration of the daughter and Prince Ernest Augthe erection of a statue of Queen day was a most brilliant affair. Victoria at Washington and the precentation to the British people of a statue of Abraham Lincoln.

THE GERMAN ARMY.

**GOVERNMENT DEMANDS** CURTAILED.

London, May 25. The Budget Committee of the ers were killed. Reichetag has passed the supplementary Army Estimates, but, instead of 1,538 lieutenants and mentary Army estimates, the 8,607 non-commissioned officers, Budget Committee of the Reias asked for by the Government, chatag has reduced the numbers has agreed only to 530 lieutenants of officers asked for. and 7,563 non-commissioned

PORTUGUESE UNREST.

London, May 25. A mestage from Lisbon reports | Mr. F. Browne, Government Ana. that a court-mantal has found bill inspected the defences of lyst, said that on April 25 guilty of conspiracy sixts u Malta, and a Maltas deputation Inspector Watt brought him Royalists, including Major Montez urged on Mr. Aquith the grantand Captain Pimentel, and ing of autonomy to the island.

London, May 25. An explosion occurred at the Witness, continuing, said he gasworks attached to the hydrauexamined the chemicals (productic works in the Harbour of to be succeeded in the South ed) which were found in the de- Buenos Ayres. Twelve persons

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

TELEGRAMS,

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

The Czar has left Berlin for involving the question of whether

Forther details are given of the Fall Court. military troubles in France.

It is hoped that reace in the

ness attempted to make impres- In recent fights with the Bul-Reuter's Tokyo correspondent sions in the manner explained by garians, the Greeks have lost 250 Competition Meeting at 6 p.m.

Codes Committee of the New convicted of bribery.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

The Turkish-owned Nevada, flying the American flag, struck a mine in the Gulf of Smyrna, and 40 passengers were drowned.

The wedding of the Kaiser's Peace Centenaty will arrange for ustus of Cumberland on Satur-

Empire Day was widely celebrated throughout the Empire and greetings were received from

An explosion in the gasworks attached to the hydraulic works in Buenos Ayres Harbour resulted in 12 men being killed and 20

While a crowd of Britishers were celebrating Empire Day on a pier at Long Beach, California, a platform collapsed and 30 British-

The Princes of Inner Monogolia

The Peace Centenary Committee has arranged to erect a statue

of Queen Victoria in Washington

and to present the British people

with a statue of Lincoln. Mr. Asquith and Mr. Church-

The annual report of Messrs

Major General Anderson is China Command by Major General Kelly, C. B. "

fire broke out on 16th, inst. arrived here yesterday and left early this morning.

with cambling before Mr Hazeland this morning.

a ricul is one basket or two was opened this morning before the

An interesting appeal case,

Yesterday being the Sunday took place round the cathedral of the Immaculate Conception.

DON'T FORGET.

TO-DAY. Hongkong Water Polo Shield

TO-MORROW. Wednesday, May 8.

Dallas Comedy Co. Victoria Saturday, May 31. Second Gymkhana.

Cherniavsky Trio, City Hall.

Wednesday June 11. Yorkshire best Worcestershire of National Service at the Eighty The case was proceeding as we York State Senate, has been extraordinary general meeting. Canton Insurance Office Ltd.

TELEGRAMS.

the Mawson Antarctic Expedition.

injured.

Though passing the supple-

have protested against the Chinese intention of transforming Mongolia into a Province and have demanded autonomy.

LOCAL.

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The Assaye, aboard which a

The mexiumm penalty was imposed on eight Chinese charged

Bijou Theatre 9.15 p.m. Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m.

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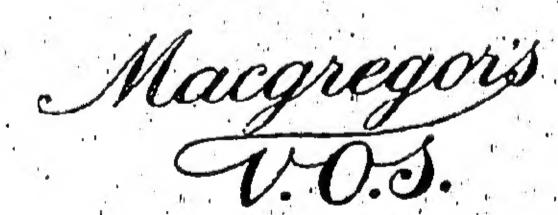
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### CONTEMPORARIES.

South China Morning Post.

The Cuit of the Bomb. Chinese officials are cognisant of the dangers to which communities are exposed through the un-desirable. Only a few days ago a Shanghai newspaper strongly advocated a crusade against the Ishmaels of society. Peking has already moved in this direction, for there "those who are runaway. criminals are forbidden residence as are those who are habitually dishonest, or have no occupation.' The political refugee might be allowed to enjoy the protection of a friendly Power, but he must not so abuse the privilege as to preach sedition and incite men to anarchical outrages. Of late years the cult of the bomb has developed largely, and our only hope in the East is that strong repressive measures will be taken by all authorities to crush out these secret societies. A reform of this kind will take years to effect and will tax many a strong arm, but the age we live in demands that the desperado should know that the law protects communities from fanatics.

Daily Press.

Chinese Legal Reform.

It is, accordingly, perfectly plain that no reform of the Chinese legal system that does not extend to the commercial law can be satisfactory, nor should such reform present insuperable diffioulty. The different trade guilds throughout the Republic should be required to submit copies of their rules to the Ministry of Justice, where they would be examined by a commission of experts, who would, after expurgating any rules that were plainly unreasonable or inconsistent, publish the whole compilation as the commercial law of Chins. This would probably be added to from time to time by duly recorded judicial decisions embodying further established customs, or by statutory enactments, but, apart from this the essential of a fixed and easily accessible standard would have been fulfilled. Drawn up, as the guild rules are, with a view to the general interest, of the trade, it is not likely that there would be much in them that would be objectionable even from the foreign merchant's standpoint, while it would be of infinite service to him to know authoritatively in advance what were the requirements of Chinese law in respect of any contract or agreement into which he was entering.

China Mail.

The German Royal Wedding. To-day's illustrious bride is, as stated, the only daughter and seventh child of the Emperor and Empress of Germany. She was born on September 13, 1892, and is thus twenty-one years old. The bridegroom is the eldest son of the Duke and Duchess of Cumberland, several years his bride's senior, and stated to be one of the most popular Princes of the German Empire. We feel sure that Britons in this part of the world will readily join with their Teutonic kinsmen in expressing pleasure at the illustrious event that is to-day taking place in Berlin, and which all will hope may not only be the means of bringing a long and beneficent happiness to the bride and bride groom but also better understanding and more amicable feelings between the great German nation and those other nations of Europe with whom unfortunately there has been a regrettable lack of harmony, the result, doubtless, of a lack of sympathetic feeling, the outcome of imperfect knowledge of each others' aims in accomplishing their respective destinies.

Secret Societies broken up. in F. M. S.

After several months of preparation F. M. detectives have completely broken up a secret Chinese society with ramifications extending all over the Peninsula. Hundreds have been arrested and banishment :; orders have | been issued by the Department of Chinese Affairs.

For a good Solid meal a la Carte or Table D'Hote with Wines & Liquers of the Best ALEXANDRA CAFE.

#### GENERAL NEWS.

Sino-Japanese Association.

Reuter's Tokyo correspondent meeting of the Sino-Japanese As- Right Hon. Sir William Anson, gathering attended, including serving eleven years later in the RION, No. 10, Peak, furni-Wang Tah-sieh, Chinese Minister Crimea, when he was at the siege shed or unfurnished. 6 Rooms. that China and Japan were stand- employed on a mission to Mada-China was fighting against des- the Order of Radama. From potism, and both were suffering Mauritius he went to Penang as from the prejudices of westerners: Lieutenant-Governor, remaining A resolution was passed that the there until 1882, and during that Association would works for the period had charge of the operaco-operation of the two peoples in tions in the Malay Peninsula in the maintenance of the territorial 1875-76. Sir Archibald retired integrity of China and for the from the Army in 1878. He was restoration and preservation of given the U.M.G. on 1876, and peace and order.

#### Fire at Wuchang.

volving some hundred houses. Two children were burnt to death in a house outside the South Gate: A new feature in connection with fires here was the assistance rendered on this occasion by sailors from Chinese gunboats. Since the fevolution only twenty per cent, of the taxes have been collected. People are ordered to pay in full before the end of this month; otherwise severe penalties will be inflicted.

the amount of Y.10,000,000 isssed battalious of infuntry, 53.642; on February 5th at an interest of 321 officers of the Royal Army Bank," 51 The Peak, Mt. Kellett, sion, Also NEW FIVE ROOMED. 1 sen 7 rin per diem, under the Medical Corps, and the balance general account falling due on the distributed amongst officers of 9th instant, shall be redeemed and the Army Pay Department, Army re-issued is not decided as yet, Ordance Department and Army owing to the absence of the Veterinary Corps, the rank and It is believed, says the "Japan in India. Ohronicle," they will be redeemed and re-issued at 1 sen 6 rin per diem interest, the date of redemption being July 9th.

Salt Lake City Earthquake. Salt Lake City, Utah, April 12.—An earthquake lasting several seconds was experienced here at 1.30 o'clock this morning. Telephone operators on the fifth floor of the Telephone building reported that their transmitters were rocked by the force of the shock. Train dispatchers of the Oregon Short Line Railroad reported the shock was felt

### Russia in Mongolia.

throughout south eastern Idaho.

It is reported from Kowlon, says the Mukden correspondent of the "Asahi," that the Russian authorities there are doing their best to placate the natives. They have given notice that any Monnaturalised in Russia, will be de- downwards, turning over as it interest.

Yarn From Pulp.

pulp, which are supposed to be was dead. considerably stronger than any other hitherto made from paper pulp. The new material is said to be particularly suitable for ropes, mate, and other coarse fabrics, especially those which have to withstand dampness and water, while at the same time the material is said to be fire-resistploit the new invention.

the 13th instant, and both men young enough to rise to the highwere committed for public trial., est rank in the service.—"Truth" Tel, 492

#### SERVICE MATTERS.

General Anson.

Major-General Sir Archibald telegraphs that the inaugural Anson, K.C.M.G., uncle of the sociation took place on the 18th Bt., was 87 on April 18. He eninst. A numerous and influential tered the Royal Artillery in 1844, at Tokyo, and many Chinese re- of Sebastopel. From 1858 to 1867 sident in Tokyo and Yokohama, he was inspector of police in Mr. Hayash Kiroku pointed out Mauritius, and in 1862 he was from 1st July. ing in similar positions political- gascar to represent Queen Victoria y: Japan was fighting against at the Coronation of King Radama the K.C.M.G. in 1882 in leaving Penang. The gallant General, says the "Daily Telegraph,"comes Wuchang, May 17 .- A destruct of a military family, his father tive fire occurred here to-day, in- baving been a distinguished soldier in the Peninsula War, apply to YAP HOK LING, No. receiving a baronetcy for his services there.

#### British Troops in India.

The British troops in India in the coming year are to be maintained at a strength of 75,897 of all ranks and arms. This force will be made up as follows:-Nine regiments of cavalry, 5,616; eleven batteries of Royal Horse Artillery, 45 of Royal Field Artil-The Issue of Japanese Treasury lery and 35 companies of Royal Garrison Artillery, 15,785; officers Whether the Treasury bills to of the Royal Engineers, 377; 52 TO LET.—UNFURNISHED, Finance Minister from the capital. file of which are not respresented

#### Resigned.

Second Lieutenant R. G. Bay liss has resigned his commission in the Somerset Light Infantry after the short service of two and a half years.

### Army Officer Killed.

Lieutenant L. C. Rogers-Harrison, 2nd Royal Warwickshire erick Hobbs and William Hunt, Regiment, was killed in an aeroplane accident at Farnborough on of contractors doing business April 28, Lieuentant Rogers-Harrison, who was under the instruc- Norfolk navy yard, have been tion of Mr. S. F. Cody for several acquitted on the charge of months at the end of last year, attempted bribery of commissary was piloting the biplane with stewards who were responsible which Mr. Cody won the Army for the purchase of stores. Council prize last autumn when the accident occurred. His fel! was witnessed by several persons, states that he saw the machine the Army. "burst in the air" when at a they may become Russian officials. | ving" with his engine running at Such Mongolians will also be full speed, and that when he atpermitted to borrow money from | tempted to check the descent by the Russian Government, free of means of his elevating planes they tore away. The biplane fell into a field some few hundred yards north of the aircraft factory, It is reported from Gothenburg but although assistance arrived that a process has been invented immediately nothing could be for making yarns out of Swedish done for the young officer, who

### A New Major General.

The promotion of Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) T.L.N. Morland to be major-general in place of the late Major-General Park was what was expected, though after the erratio performing. Arrangements are being made for the formation of a jointstock company in Sweden to exover the heads of many colonels much more distinguished, Japanese Army Contract Scandal, no one can now feel safe of It will be remembered says the promotion till his name appears in The Judgement House 'Japan Chronicle,', that some time | the London Gazette. General Morago, Mr Inaliata Soshichi, Director land was not in the Boer War, Cheerful Craft By R. Andom. of the Inahata Dyeing Factory but he served for more than el- The Two Carnations (vounger brother of Mr Inahata even years on the West Coast of Katsutaro, proprietor of the fac- Africa, succeeding Brigadiertory,) who is very well known to General Kemball as Inspectorforeigners with whom he has General of the West African Expiation business relations, and Mr Mori Frontier Force in 1905. After Shigekichi, acting chief expert of holding the post for four years he Western men With Eastern the factory, were arrested on came home, and in June, 1910, charges of having defrauded the was appointed to command the the military authorities at Osaka 2nd Infantry Brigade of the Exomcerning an army contract. The peditionary Force. He is only proliminary examination of the forty-seven years of age, and if proliminary examination of the forty-seven years of age, and if accused was brought to an end on opportunity comes in the way is QUEEN'S

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#### LATE TELEGRAMS.

**Against Early Retirements** 

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Mine Explosion. San Francisco, May 19.—A terrible mine exposion took place yesterday in the Belpre Valley Ohio. Up to the present it is known that sixteent lives have been lost. Relief parties are searching the mine to render what assistance they can to the entombed miners. How many were at work in the mine at the mine at the time of the disaster is

### K.O.Y.L.I. Officers.

not stated.

Lieutenant A. B. Smyth, 2nd Battalion King's Own Light Infantry, has been detained for a tour of duty with the 3rd Reserve Battalion at Pontefract in relief Washington, May 17.—General of Lieutenant G. H. C. Palmer, Frederick A. Smith has retired appointed to the West African among them being Mr. Cody, who after forty-four years service in Frontier Force. Lieutenant Geoffrey H. C. Palmer, King's Own Washington, May 18.—Colonel Yorkshire Light Infantry, secondgolian Princes who become height of 400ft, and that it pitched and Quartermaster Frank L. Den- ed for service under the Colonial ny of the marine corps has volun- Office, joined his regiment in corated with Russian orders and fell. He expresses the opinion tarily retired from the service, August, 1906, was promoted receive a pension. If such Mon-that Lieutenant Rogers-Harrison, and is succeeded by Lieutenant lieutenant in January, 1909, and golians should become Christians, who was a skilled pilot, was 'di- Colonel Charies Lauris McCawley, was latterly serving at the depot at Pontefract.

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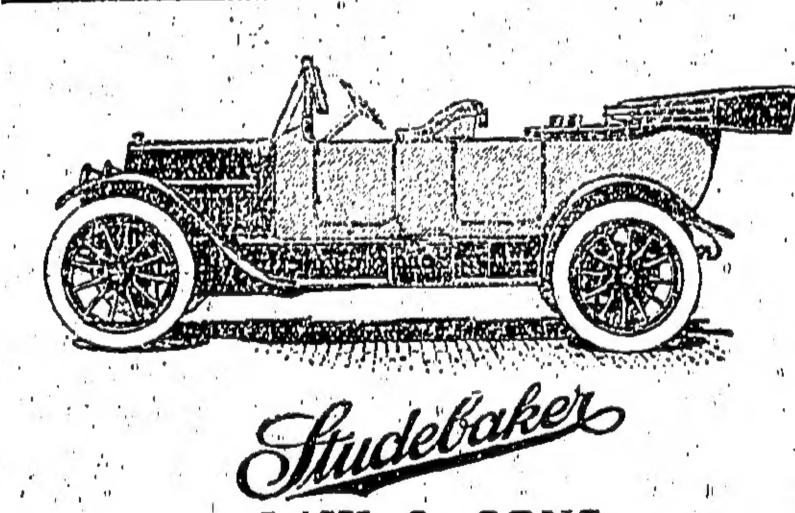
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Dr. Hirai.

Finding on Actress' Death.

Dr. S. Hirai, Vice-President of Southampton, April 15.—The London of a national theatre, to the Imperial Japanese Rail- death of Frances Lealle, the by the State, for the performance way Administration, has been American actress, who died on of plays of Shakespeare, and other appointed Adviser to the Ministry board the White Star steamship dramas of recognized merit. of Communications. The position Oceanic, between Cherbourg and After reminding the House that relinquished by Dr. Hirai is the Southampton on March 15, was he was speaking on the tradition-fined for the present to the central v highest to which any railway expert in Japan can aspire, his imverdict of the coroner's jury at that those who were engaged in rates will be subject to review in W mediate superior being a member the inquest which concluded here the movement for the erection of two or three years time, of the Cabinet

#### HOME NEWS.

The Latest Mails in Summary. | fluence which dramatic entertain-

ments exercised on the life of the The Home papers to hand by people, and placed before the the latest mails give considerable the House the main purposes of prominence to China's "Day of the supporters of the project for Prayer." Speaking in Convocation some days before the actual desired, he said, to keep the plays day of intercession, the Arch- of Shakespeare in the repertory bishop of Canterbury made re- of the theatre, to revive whatever ference to the matter. He said was vital in any classical drama, those who best realized either the to prevent recent plays of great past or the present of China would be the first to take in the to develop the modern drama, enormous significance of this unand to stimulate the art of acting. paralleled action. Our answer to On behalf of the Government, the request, given in no uncertain Mr Ellis Giffith said his view was voice, was that we would respond that the Government's duty was to it. It seemed to him opportune not to initiate but crown a project that they should record in Con- of this kind, and the time for that vocation their sonse of the gravity had not come. When the project and the hopefulness of this great was mature, when the site departure in the relation of the had been obtained, the building Fmpire to the message of the erected, and a reasonable endow-lord Jesus Christ for the guid-ment secured, the time for crownance and the governance of the ing the movement would almost have been reached. If and when The Archbishop of York, a contribution was made by the

speaking on the matter in Con- State it should take the form not vocation on the following day, of a capital grant but of an annual declared that it was difficult to subsidy. exaggerate the significance of the | The motion failed, because less request. He expressed the hope than 100 votes were given for it, that in all their churches in the the figures being 96 for and 32 Northern Province on the following against. Sunday the clergy would bid their people to pray for God's guidance to the rulers and people of China the raid was made by the police on the offices of the Women' at this crisis.

The request of the Chinese Social and Political Union. Six Government met with a wides- arrests were made and the women proad response. Both the Est- were later charged that they had ablished and the Free Churches conspired together, and with Miss received the suggestion with great Annie Kenney, Mrs Pankhurst cordiality, and in Cathedrals, and Miss Christabel Pankhurst churches, and chapols throughout and divers other members of the the land special prayers for the Women's Social and Politica future welfare of China were off- Union, to maliciously cause dam

The subject was also referred property belonging to tradesmen to in many sermons, but some of and others. In prosecuting, Mr the preaches frankly said they Bodkin referred to the activities did not know what thought there of the Society, furthered by might be behind the request. the newspaper "Suffragette" There was a very great demand and said this journal must be put for the forms of prayer issued by a stop to, as the dissemination of the S.P.G. and the C.M.S., and at writings of the kind it contained the request of the Sunday School was a danger to society. Large Union over 10,000 alliliated Sun- sums appeared to have been day schools, containing 2,244,608 obtained from sympathisers teachers and scholars, also observ- with the criminal objects of ed the day as one of intercession the union. He desired to give for China.

Anglo-American Peace.

Through Reuter's agency we AGENCY, have already been supplied with ings would be immediately taken details of the gatherings in against such persons; further, i. America in connection with the any printer, after that warning, celebration of 100 years of peace printed and published the literaamong the English speaking ture of the union, he might find peoples. On April 26th, Earl himselfina very awkward position Stanhope, Lord Weardale, Sir as an aider and abettor of persons George Reid, the Hon. Neil Prim- in carrying out those objects rose, M.P., the Hon. C. T. Mills, and if any persons having money M.P., Sir Arthur Lawley, Sir could not find a better use for it than to have it used for the com-Herbert Maxwell, Mr Allen Baker, M.P., Mr Shirley Benn, M.P., Mr mission of crime, they also would Moreton Frewen, and Mr Henry bein a very awkard position. Vivian, the British Committee representing the United Kingdom, left Euston for Liverpool, where they joined the Caronia for New York. They had an enthusiastic day's "Telegraph" to the synsend-off.

Capt Scott's Journals. We read that Lady Scott has addressed the following commun-

ication to the Press :-"Dear Sir,—Would you be kind chronizing clocks. enough to convey to the public my very grateful thanks for the remarkable sympathy and generosity shown to me.

"I would like it to be known that my husband's journals will be published in full as soon as is head or branch post offices, and practicable, and that every word the mises of persons requiring the work of every officer and man concerned in it.

"May I also take this opportunity of tendering my very real point thanks to the Press for their consideration on my return to Eng- the renter at his own exland that they have refrained from pense to fix and maintain to the Ba asking for information or interviews with a courtesy that has not lacked appreciation.

> "Sincerely yours, "Kathleen Scott,"

A National Theatre. Considerable interest was dislayed over a motion in the House of Commons by Mr. Mackinder in favour of the establishment in a national theatre had a most

## FAR EASTERN NAVAL SQUADRONS.

### HIS BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS ON THE CHINA STATION.

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v	vas vital in any classical drama,	Cadmus	British sloop	1,070	U			Shanghai
t	o prevent recent plays of great	Cherub "	Water tank and tug	390 "		300		Hongkong
r	nerit from falling into oblivion,	Clio	British sloop	1,070	0	1,400	Comdr. Mackenzie, D.S.O.	Hongkong
t	o develop the modern drama,	Fame	Torpedo-boat destro	yer 360	0		LtCom. Wilkinson	Hongkong
î	and to stimulate the art of acting.	Flora "	2nd class cruiser	4,350	10	7,000	Capt. O. F. Corbett M.V.O.	Shanghai
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	hat the Government's duty was	Kent"	let class cruiser	9,000	14	22,000	Capt. Allen T. Hunt C.S.I.	Hongkong
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ľ	of this kind, and the time for that	Merlin'	Surveying ship	1,040	-		Capt. F. C. C. Pasco	Hongkong,
19	had not come. When the project	Minotaur 6	1st class cruiser	14,600		27,000	Capt. G. C. Cayley	Horgkong
ı	The state of the s	Monmouth	1st class cruiser	9,800		22,000	Capt. B. H. F. Barttelot.	Hongkong
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	had been obtained, the building	noornen.	2nd class cruiser	4,800	12	22,000	Capt. Frederick A. Powlett	Hongkong !-
ľ	erected, and a reasonable endow-	Vightingola	River gunboat	85	2	240	LtComdr. M. Murray	Yangtsze
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١	have been reached. If and when	Erpore		85		240		West River
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3	the raid was made by the police	Welland	Torpedo-boat dest	royer 590		7,500		Hongkong
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#### THE NETHBRLAND INDIES.

Importation of Certain Articles from Hongkong Prohibited.

Recretary of the Hongkong where the Cunard liner Aquitania, modation for every passenger on Chamber of Commerce, we have received the following copy of cor- British Mercantile Marine and the board, and to this end there will be two motor-boats, 46 open boats, and 44 cellular boats with rigid temporary prohibition of certain to Lloyd's survey, lay ready for sides, or a total of 92. Most of articles of imporation to Nether- launching, says the "Times". the boats are placed under davits, lands India :-

plague by the Netherland-India was performed by the Counters of moved on skids across the deck Government, the following mea- Derby, 100,000 persons were pre- to the davits. sure of the Notherland-Indian Civil cent, either in the yard of John . \_ Propulsion and Speed.

prohibited .

requence of 'removal.

(2) Rags. not considered as rags.

inspection of the ship on arrival 22,000 tons. in Netherland-Indian port, Happily the arrangements 151ft above the fire grates. and about the formalities to worked smoothly. Immediately masters of ships arriving in mony the last of the supporting Netherland-India within 21 days blocks was removed, and, when after their departure from a Lady Derby pressed the electric plague-infected port, etc. will be batton and released the triggers, given on application at the Nether- the huge hull, after a brief hesit-

tention of the shipping to the fact spectators. that the quarantine in Netherland-India against ships coming from Hongkong will be up to 21 days according to the state of health on board the ships, but subject to exemption on producat Hongkong.

I take to liberty to suggest to your Chamber to bring the proceeding to the notice of the trade and navigation of the Colony. I have the honour to be.

Your Obedient Servant, (Sgd) DE REUS. Consul General.

as follows:

The Consul General, For Netherlands India.

tain articles of importation.

I have the honour to be.

Your Obedient Servant (Sgd.) A. R. LOWE. Acting Secretary.

hot at 5 o'clock on April 19.

Earlier in the morning he had developed considerabl's irritabilidrowsiness, becames weaker case do they rise less than 10ft., the naval dockyards. fortunately he was overpowered before he could do any injury to senses, and within a minute he control of the installation was sound asleep, and the doctor The arrangements for securing O. Company at the time of the Rock Fish.—Sek Ka Kung. in attendance promounced his heart and pulse qui te normal.

#### THE LAUNCH OF THE AQUITANIA.

Description of the Vessel.

From Mr A. R. Lowe, Acting April 21 led to Olydebank, ined to provide boat accom-The occasion was largely observed some of the cellular boats being Hongkong, 19th May, 1913. as a public holiday in the Glasgow arranged under the ordinary life-Sir.—The port of Hongkong district, and it is estimated that, bouts, while others are in such a having been declared infected with when the launching ceremony position that they can easily be

less these goods are transported sented unusual conditions, and reserve of power as to permit the as personal luggage or in oon- both the construction and the ship, should she be delayed by launching involved special ar- bad weather on a portion of her rangements. A part of the river voyage, to leave New York on direct from the weaving-mills, anticipation of the launching of certainty in England early on from workshops, where appared the Lusitania, and to provide for the following Tuesday morning. is made or from bleaching the increase in size of the Aqui- In order to give ample power for establishments, artificial wool, tania over previous additions to going backwards, astern turbines has been further widened along arrangements being such that All goods, of which the im- the south bank; while, in order one engineer on the starting portation is not prohibited shall that, when completed, the new ship platform has complete control of be disinfected on arrival, if in may reach the sea, the waterway all of them. There are four boiler opinion of the Health Officer of between Clydebank and Greenock rooms equipped with large boilers, the port they have been infected, is being dredged. The launching each having eight furnaces. The Particulars about the medical weight of the Aquitania was funnels rise to a height of 154ft. above the bottom of the ship, or

complied with by the before the time fixed for the cerelands Consulate General at Hong- ation, glided, with gathering

Precautions for Safety. beam of 97ft, the Canard liner were mounted on the poop. It is length and width.

Chamber that the Netherlands for the sake of strength, is secured a stipulation in old contracts Indian Government have declared in some places by eight rows of granted to the North-German Hongkong to be a plague-infected rivets' hydraulically driven. As Lloyd for the carriage of Far Port.

The Lucitania and Mauretania, Eastern mails that the vessels

ed instantly to regain big normal closing gear, which gives the provided with gun platforms are Pomiret. White.—Pak Chong

of watertight subdivision are thus comprehensive, but no advantage has been taken of this fact to reduce the number of lifeboats carried. Fifteen months ago, before the Titanic disaster occurred, the All roads from Glasgow on Cunard authorities had determ-

Medical Service have become apBrown and Co. (London), the builders, or on neighbouring land, eists of four turbines driving four many hours before the time fixed serew shafts, with an increased ing articles from Hongkong or for the launching, thousands of range of steam expansion between transshipped at this temporarily persons had taken their positions the different engines and conon ground from which a view of sequently increased economy as (1) Wearing apparel, old and the launching could be obtained. compared with earlier installation doubtes, household effects other features of the vessel representations. The normal sear speed is other features of the vessel representations.

> ARMED MERCHANT SHIPS.

How Many in China Seas?

The Royal Mail Steam Packet kong, where an English version speed, into the river, the entry of Company's Aragon, which left of the Netherland-Indian Quaran- the ship into the water being Southampton in April for South I beg however to draw the at- cheers of the great multitude of The necessary structural arrangecompany's workmen, two 47in With a length of 902ft, and a guns, supplied by the Admiralty, Aquitania is the largest vessel so proposed also to mount guns on the far built in Great Britain. As company's Amazon, the next liner length and 41ft in beam, though of chilled meat from Argentina. there is reason to believe that new The company's officers and sea-Hamburg-America liner Vater- men include a large number of firing the guns.

the safety of the ship by means Pendjeh "scare." Brank-Chun Yu.

# MARKET PRICES.

Shark,—Sa Yu ... 9 Hongkong, May 8, 1913. BUTCHER MEAT Shrimps,—Ha ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... Beef Sirloin & Primo Cut, Mei Lung Pa. ... 1b. 18 Corned, -Ham Ngan Yuk ... ... 18 Tench,—Wan Yu ... ... ... ... ... , Roast, Shiu , , 18 Breast,-Nagu Lam 12 Turiles, small, fresh water, --Kork Yu ... " "Soup,—Tong Yuk White Bait,-Ngau Yu Chai ... ... Steak,-Ngau Yuk Pa ... ... ... ... " do. -Sirloin Cotom-Ngan Lan ... " 28 " Sausages,—Ngau Chaung ... ... 20 Bullock's Brains ,, Know ..... ... per set 9 Tongue fresh, NgaLi ... u ... each 45 戴牛利 Almonds,—Hung Yau.... Ib. 28 , corned,—Ham Ngan Li Apples (California)—Kem San Ping Kho .... 25: 447) (Chefoo) Tin Chun Ping Kho ., Heart,-Ngau Sum ... ... ... " Small,—Hoi Tong ., Hump, Salt,-Ngau Kin ... ... ... ... Custard,—Fan Lai Chi , Feet,-Ngau Kask ... ... ... ... Bananas, fragrant, Canton,—San Shing Heung Chiu lb.7 (brides), Macao,—San Heung Chiu ... 3 Kidneys,-Ngau Yi ... ... ... ... ... Chestnuts: Chinese, - Foong Lut , Tail,-Ngau Mei... ... ... » Carambola,—Yeung Tue... Liver, -Ngau Kon ... ... lb. 12 Cocoanuts, -Yeh Tse ... each 10 " Tripe (undressed),—Ngau To Lemons, China,—Ning Moong .... lb 8 全球技术 Refuse of new goods coming opposite the yard was widened in Wednesday and yet arrive with Calve Head & Feet, -Ngau-chai-tau-kark ... set \$1 America,—Kum San Ning Moon Fresh,
Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong Lichees Dried, -Lai Chi, small Stone ... ... 25 Muttor Chop, -Young Pei Kwat ... 1b. 25 Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong ... each ... 12 1475
Mango, Manila,—Lui Sung Mong ... 20 Leg,-Young Pei ... ... ,, 25 "Shoulder,—Young Shau ... ... " 22 and cuttings of newspaper, are the Cunard fleet the River Clyde are fitted on all four shafts, the Pigs Chitlings, -- Chu Chong ... ... ... ... 27 Mangosteens, San Chuk Tse ... doz 36 Oranges, (Canton)—San-shing Tim Ching ... 1b 82 " Brains,—Chu Know Sweet ... use " Feet,—Chu Kark ... ... Pears, (American),—Kam San Shoot Lay ... 一金分技艺 " Fry,—Chu Chak ... " 30 , (Canton), Cooking,—Sa Lay ... ,, 12 Peanuts,—Fa Sang Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie
Pine-apples, 1st quality,—Poon Ti Paw Law each — \*\*\*\* " Heart,—Chu Sum... ... ... each 10 . Kidneys, -Chu Yiu ... ... 2nd ,, -Chung-tang Paw Law ,, - + \*\* lb 24 " Liver,—Chu Con .... ... ... Pork, Chop, -- Chu Pai Kwat ... ... Plums,-Swatow, Hung Lai ... 6 . Corned,-Ham Chu Yuk ... ... Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Lo Yau ... each 25 注意機構 Leg,-Chu Pe. ... , 27 Shanghai, Lo Kwat ... ... ,, 10 Walnuts,-Hop Tuo ... \_... lb 13 " Fat or Lard, -Oht Yau ... ... Green. -Sang Hop Tuo ... ... Sheep Head and Feet, -le ... Tan Kark ... Water Melon,-(Am.) Kom San Sai Kwa ... each 14 dec Heart, -Young Sum ... ... ... (China) Sai Kwa... Grapes,—Sang Po Tai Tse .... 1b 80 生物绳子 Kidneys, -Yeung Yiu ... ... Liver, -Young Con ... ... ... VEGETABLES, &c. 生 油 Artichokes, Shanghai,—Sheung-hoi Ah Chi The necessary structural arrange-ments having been made by the Veal,—Ngau Chai Yuk Chauk ... Ib 8 Tat 牛仔的 Beans, (French), Macao, -Oh Moou Pin Tau ... , 10 澳門達堂 Sausages,-Ngau Chai Chaung ... ... " (French) Shanghai, Sheung Hai Pin" POULTRY. Sprout,—Ah Oho Long, Tau Ro Beet Root,-Hung Choi Tan ... ... ... sach 8 compared with the White Star of the "A" class to leave Eng- Chicken,- Kai Chai ... ... ... Brinjale, Green, -Ching Yuan ... we it is the Red,—Hung Ker ... ... ... ,, 10 Cabbage, Chinese, com, -Kai Choy advantage by about 20ft. in brings, as a rule, large quantities Doves,—Pan Kau ... ... ... each Oabbage Red. -- Hung Yea Choy Eggs. Hen-Kai Tan ... per doz 24 \*\*\* . \*\*\*\* 12. 50 1 2 . 28 Cabbage, Shanghai, -Yeh Choi Cane Shoots, bunch,—Kau Shun ...\_ ... lb. Fowls, Canton, -- Kai ... ... Cauliflower, Large size, Tai Yeh Cho Fa ,,, each \_\_ Kin A. ... Hainan, Hoi Nam Kai ... ... Medium size,—Cheung Yeh Cho Fa Small size.—Sai Yen Ohoi Fa slightly surpasses her in both be capable in an emergency of Geese. Wild S'hai, -Shang-ho Yea Ngoi .... Musk Deer,-Wong Keng ... each Carrots, -Kam Shum A double bottom has been pro- It is perfectly obvious that such Hare, Shanghai, Tu Chai ... .. ... ... Celery, Chinese, Tong Kan Choi Chillies Dried.—Gon Let Chiu vided, for the most part 5ft, deep armament could not possibly be Partridge, - Ohe Khoo ... ... ... but increasing to 6ft. in the intended for offensive purposes. Pheasant,—Shan Kai ... Pair To the Hongkong General Cham machinery compartment, and is As a defensive weapen it is suffi- Pigeons, Canton,—Pak Kup ... ... ber of Commerce. Hongkong. divided into over 40 separate ciently powerful to counteract the Hoihow,—Hoi How Pak Kup, ... Red, Hung Far Chiu Hoihow, -- Hoi How Pak Kup, ... Green, - Ching Lat Chia Curry Stuff, English, Kar Lee Chu Liu The reply of the Chamber was compartments, all of which are risk of an attack by some lightly Quail,—Um-Chun ... ... ... ... used for carrying water either as armed foreign merchant ship. Rice Birds,-Wo Fa Cheul ... ... Oucumbers -- Ching Kwa ... ... 12 ballast or for maintaining the There is really no secret about Snipe,—Sa-Ohoy ... ... each 22 Bitter Squsah,—Fu Kwa ... 8 supply to the boilers. From this the fact that a large number of Turkeys, Cock-Phor Kai Kung ... ... lb. Garlio, Que Tau .... Sir,—I have the honour to act that carry the side-plating, which built with a view to a very Wild Ducks, Shai—Shang hoi Sui Ap ... Ginger, young,—Sun Tse Keung old.—Lo Keung ... ... ... 12 knowledge receipt of your letter is almost as heavy as the arm- formidable armament. For Teal,—Sui Ap Chai, ... ... Horse Radish, Shanghai,—Lik Kan ... 6 70%.
Indian Cora,—Suk Mai ... each 5 of 19th inst., informing this our decks of cruisers and which, instance, it was, we believe, Wild Ducks Canton-Sang-Shing Sui Ap ... Lettuce,—Yeung Sang Choi F15H. Water Cheenuts,-Ma Tai ... ... ... 1b. 5 Mushrooras, Fresh,—Sang Cho Koo Mush Melon. Amer. -- Kam-san Hong Kws ... each12 411 Okroes... Yeung Ohong Tau Okross... 1b 10 Onions Bombay,—Yeung Chong Tau
Green,—Sang Chong
Shanghai,—Shang-hoi Chong Tau
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Green Peas,—Ching Tau
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Foochow,—Foo-chow Shu Tsai
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chip, and the inner shell remains two in the forewaist, two in the forewaist, two in the forewaist, and two on the poop.

athlete, completed 10% hours conflooding. tend from side to side. Most of break of war those in European Gudgeon, Pak Kup Yu ... ... ... 12 these are carried up at least 19ft. waters might be expected imme Herrings, Tso Pak... ... ... ... ... ... ... 18 above the water-line, and in no diately to fit out as warships in Halibut, - Cheung Kwan Kup ... ... drowsiness, becames weaker while in the machinery space their To what extent other ship Loach, Wu Yu ... ... ... ... ... ... 28 barely keep the clul m moving. height is 20ft. A further import owners will follow the example of Lobeters, Long Ha ... ... ... 32 Turn ps, Punti, (Long), Lo Pak the fact that two of the decks are mains to be seen. It is known to Monk Fish, -- Mong Yu ... ... ... 28 English, Yeung Lo Pak Vegetal de Marrow, Chit Kwa on me more and this ner seemed openings in them being trunked Government that the two new Oysters, Sang Hoo ... ... (American), Kam-san Chit Kwa ater Crees, Sai Yeung Cho Lily root, Lin Ngau ams Ta Shu Heart I has no power to compelstallholders to sell at the grices quoted

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### FINANCES.

The doubt has often been expressed by those who are anxious for the future activity and influence of the Church of England whether the enormous revenues which pass through her hands are Court, this morning, for stealing alongside all night, as did one of they are not, and these are quoting in support of their opinions a secent declaration of the Bishop of Bath and Wells in which he expressed the wish that there could be some wise redistribution of the somment and four hours' stocks. revenues of the Church, even if it involved a revision of the income of Bishops. According to the prelate named, a deal of the vitality of the Church is hindered by the inequalities in the distribution of the incomes and properties, and he has advanced the suggestion that was captured by Mr Ichel Groza Royal Commission might well be formed for the purpose of enquiring into the whole question. It is no doubt the case that the stipends of the Bishops and the parochial clergy at Home bear little, if any, relation either to their duties or to the population of dioceses four hours' stocks, and ten strokes vessel alongside the wharf on her

Some most illuminating statistics have recently been published which throw quite a flood of light on this question of episcopal landsche Handel - Maatschappij particular time he would have, stipends and parochial incomes. These show that in the least (Netherlands Trading Society), in ordinary coronnestances, populous dioceses in England and Weles-Hereford and Bangor- Hongkong Agency, is in receipt brought the ship round outside the the Bishops' salaries are precisely the same as for Manchester, which of telegraphic information that a islands. But owing to the urgency has a population quite thirteen times larger than either. To take dividend of 91 per cont (nine of the case Captain Stovell piloted) another instance, the Bishop of St. Davids receives £300 s year more and a half yer cent) has been the Assaye in the inner channel, than the Bishop of Manchester, though St. David's population is declared by this Bank for the turned her within its narrow conless than one-fifth that of that Manchester; and £1,500 more than year 1912. the Bishop of Southampton, despite the fact that the latter's diocese has a population nearly four times as large. It is worth noting. however, that the tendency of late has been to lower and to equalise raid on the beggars who have the salaries attached to Bishoprica; and in newly-formed dioceses, made themselves a nuisance in like Birmingham, Southwark and Wakefield, the annual stipends the streets, and during the weekare only 23,000, the lowest paid in England and Wales. It is in end he arrested no less than six. the parishes, however, that one finds the lack of system to be most teen. They were all brought bestriking, and the inequalities most glaring. One or two cases may fore Mr. C. D. Melbourne, at the picked out to illustrate the variations. The net income attached Police Court, this morning; and to the living at St. Botolph (London), with a population of 1,000, is fined \$5 each, or in default seven £1.800; that of St. Philip (Battersea), with a population of 11,370, days. is only £180. At St. Mary (Nottingham), in which parish there are 3.705 inhabitants, the incumbent receives a salary of £1,100; at St. George, in the same town, where the population is 11,000, the income is a bare £247.

Numerous other instances might be quoted, but it will be evident from the above figures that there is no system or standard for the regulation of clerical stipends in the Church of England. hai press that a contract for the under arrest. One suggestion made is that there should be some power of construction of two battle targets provincial or diocesan control to release funds tied up with parochiel has been given to the Shanghai Oplum Possession Again. vested interests, and to redistribute them in accordance with present- Dook and Engineering Co. Eu- . A fine of \$62 was imposed on day needs. At any rate, whatever the solution of the problem may quiries made to-lay at the Naval a Chinese by Mr Hezeland, at the spiration —24 at noon; 28 at 4 could carry on his shoulders brought about and their voluntary. And it is more than likely that the work of the Church Hongkong sutherities gave out selling and being in unlawful submission to the extent of the contract sense of the contrac Hongkong suthorities gave out selling and being in unlawful such a submission to the Holy Ses was the sego.

Bulletin issued at 7 s.m. on the plaintiffs case was that one ching answer to wich their enquiries answer to wich their enquiries pulse, 72; respiration, 22.

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DAY BY DAY.

Failure isn't a disease of local. ity : it's a personal habit.

The Mails. Siberian Mail.—Despatched per s.s. Linan at midnight on

Saturday. American Mail.—Arrived per s.s.

Nile this afternoon. Australian Mail.—Despatched per .s.s. Empire at 1 p.m. to-day. Australian Mail.—Arrived per s.s. Prinz Waldemar yester-

American and Biberian Mails,-Close per s.s. Chiyo Maru at 11 s.m. to-morrow.

Treasure. The s.s. Tamba Maru brought to Hongkong Yen 100,000 in gold

Coal Arrival.

Hongkong from Milke 7,700 tons at 0.30 p,m, on the same day. of coal to the order of the M.B.K.

dian officers, 20 recruits and nine rank and file of the 26th

King's Birthday Parade. Over 800 rank and file, represent- Times! the fire on the 'Assaye parade...

Prinz Ludwig Detained. us that they have just received o'clock in the morning. The a wireless from the I. G. M. s.s. ship's pumps were put into use Prinz Ludwig via Shanghai that and the hatches battened down. she is detained by fog and will When she came alongside the P. morning at 10 a.m.

Junk Robbery. . . fishing junk has reported that Pagar Dock Brigade, which had on Saturday night men went been requisitioned, prevented the alongside his junk armed with fire from spreading. rifles and revolvers. They boarded the boat and carried off \$500 in money and jewellery.

Woman and the Dagger. Macso with a dagger in her posment when called upon, by Mr C. out of the hol'l. A Municipal fre D. Melbourne, at the Police Court, engine which, under the command this morning.

Stealing Meal. prosecuted a Chinese, before Mr engine and the fire-floats Varunha meal. Complainant said that meal the fire-fluats, in case of any renewsentenced to one month's impri- the water having been effectually

The Snatcher. A men who snatched ear-rings was commenced next morning. from a woman in Queen's Road Central, West of the Fire Station, of bales of cotton, tea and opium, man, the proprietor of the Central Singapore and on the China coast. Hotel. At the Police Court, this morning, Mr Melbourne, seatenc- the coossion for an admirable ed him to six weeks' imprisonment, act of seamanship in bringing the of the birch.

Notherland Trading Fociety.

Raid on Beggars. Large-Sergeant Wilson made a

### NAVAL TARGE S.

Contract Given to Shanghai.

THE ASSAYE FIRE.

Steamer Arrives in Hongkong and Reports on the Outbreak.

The P. and O. steamer Assaye, aboard which a fire broke out on the 16th inst., arrived in Hongkong yesterday morning and le again at 6 a.m. to-day for the North. Her mails, it will be remembered were transferred the intermediate steamer Ceylon, which arrived in port last week.

In a report of the outbreak. supplied to the "Telegraph, Captain Coldwell stated that the fire was reported at 3.40 a.m. on the 16th inst. in No. 5 'tween deck. The fire hoses were once connected and water wa pumped on to the fire through the hatchwayand the ventilators, all of which were securely closed to prevent the ingress of sir. The fire was kept fairly under until the The Kinkusen Maru brought to arrival of the ship at Sing pore

Queen's Birthday.

To-day is the anniversary of the were in readiness and started for the Quetta District, he was The C birthday of Queen Mary. The with about a dozen hoses to pour warships in the harbour and one water into the No. 5 hatch and given the rank of lieutenant- the whole question? or two merchant steamers were through the ventilators. There member of the Indian Survey question. dressed in honour of the occasion. was much smoke and heat when Committee, for which he received. the hatch was opened up at 5 p.m. the thanks of the Government, he Lord. There arrived by the s.s. Assaye The cargo in No. 5 hold had to was appointed to the command of yesterday from Bombay two In- be discharged entirely, as well as some cotton from No. 4 hold. As a consequence, the vessel was delayed until Tuesday the 20th inst. at 5 pm. The fire originated on the half-pay list. the occasion of His in some cotton bales stowed on

Another Account. According to the "Straits ing twelve detachments, will originated in the after hold among a general cargo, comprising cotton, opium and tea, and was first Messrs Melchers & Co. inform observed shortly after three smoke were to be seen rising from the hold, but services of the town

A tremendous volume of water water had by then given of Superintendent Wilson, had been engage I on the fire in con-Mr Oliphant, of the Dairy Farm, junction with the Tanjong Pagar emptied out, the process of unload ng the cargo from that hold

The cargo was mainly composed consigned to houses both in

The occurrence of the fire was arrival. Captain Stovell soting as pilot and in the state of We are informed that the Neder- the tide and the ourrents at that

fines when off the P. and O. wharf, and came alongside against the flow of the current. It was a proceedling a tanded by risks, but the handling of the vessel was capable in the extreme.

COOLIES QUARREL One Man Meets His Death.

As the result of a fight between Ho, met his death. A number of men have been arrested.

A man and his wife have been sent to hospital suffering from It has been stated in the Shang- injuries inflicted by a man now

#### GENERAL ANDERSON'S SUCCESSOR.

General P.H. Kelly to take over South China Command.

Command by Major General ment was entered for Chan Francis Henry Kelly, C. B.

fourth year and entered the ser- on April 9, was erroneous Woolwich in 1879. During the weight of evidence given, at the Burmese trouble of 1885-1886 he trial of the action. was mentioned in the despatches Mr F. C. Jenkin, instructed by He submitted that the judgment clasp. In 1889 he received his peared for the appellants, and Mr affirmed. No serious grounds deal of active service between the respondent. 1897 and 1902, gaining his maj- Mr Jenkin:—This is an appeal principles, in the case of a judge ority and various medals, and be- on the question as to whether or sitting alone, to reverse a judg-On arrival, the Town and Tan- ing twice mentioned in despatches not a picul is one basket or two ment on grounds less than if they the Karachi Brigade in 1905. think there are other questions. From 1907 to 1911 he held command of the Abmednagar Brigade, their Lordships referred to the were no material grounds for the and, on relinquishing this, went writ they would see that

new post in August.

### THE NIPPON.

Collector of Customs to Dispose of Cargo.

customs yesterday morning, might be deposited. Each basket 800 feet anyhow. most likely arrive to-morrow and O. wharf large quantities of says the "Cablenews" of the 22nd, had to be fully loaded with earth. at which all the parties concerned Then in the file followed what remarked that the question as to in the stratided steamship Nippon he, counsel, supposed was a tally- whether a basket were a picul or suthorized Colonel H. B. McCoy, man's record which showed how not ought to have been decided The master of an Aberdeen Fire Brigade and the Tanjong summitted Colones H. D. mocoy, much earth was carried away long ago. dispose of the cargo of the Nippon each day, and their Lordships as he saw fit to the best interest would observe it was tallied out his one that a basket was a picul of all concerned. Acting on this as piculs, whereas in the contract and this was already well known. was poured into No. 5 hold and the first portion of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the first portion of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the Primary of the primary the Primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the Primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the Primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the Primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the Primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the Primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the Primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets and should be sattled by the primary of the salvaged measures were in baskets. by five o'clock in the afternoon Nippon cargo, 1,164 sicks of chings. A woman who landed from obliterated. The weight of the Stevenson and Company at P.13 pared the documents? session for which she had no vessel a heavy list to starboard per picul. The case of curios con. Mr. Jenkin:-I believe, from CORPUS CHRISTI permit, was bound over in the and the pumps were immediately signed to the Orown Prince of the evidence, we did.

sum of \$50, to come up for judg- set to work to empty the water Sweden will be held pending the The Chief Justice:—You are settlement of the case. copra sold was that brought

> on Monday. Mesers. Ker and Company, repbusiness was transacted by the a basket, interested parties. The sleamship Vizcaya is expected in this morn- translated picul, is the word "tam' go and she will probably bring carried. the first report of the amount of Mr. Jenkin:-We shall get that divers have had chance to make that that number of an investigation.

Latest Bulletins Show Improvement.

nese Consulate General in Hong- time. kong for the following bulletins Mr. Jankin: -I don't knew received by cable relative to the whether I could have done that health of His Majesty the Emperor my Lord, I am sure.

### WHAT IS A PICUL ?

Against a Decision of the Pulse Judge.

Thismorning, the Chief Justice We are informed by the Army Sir W. Rees Davies, K.C., and Head Quarter Office that Major Mr Justice J. H. Kemp, Puisne General Anderson who, as already Judge, sitting in appellate jur- their purpose and that made the stated in the "Telegraph," leaves isdiction, considered the appeal of coolie carry a little over fourteen here shortly to take over the the Kwang Hang firm against the stone. Luchow Division of India, is to judgment of the Puisne Judge in a be succeeded in the South China Summary Court action, when judg-The new G.O.C. is in his fifty- claimed that the decision, given vice (R.E.) on passing out of point of fact and contrary to the

Mr Jenkin:-I am glad Continuing, Mr. Jenkin said

claim was for \$1,000 odd, balance General Kelly enters upon his due for work done and labour capability of coolies to carry the supplied. Then there was the weight mentioned, said there was contract, by which the respondent no evidence before the court at undertook to carry earth from all, but they would see from the one part of the colony to another, evidence that the men with big It was distinctly stated that 120 baskets did five journeys per baskets were to be one ching, day. and the price was to be \$8 per of knowing how far the jourching. The earth was to be carney was, but he believed A meeting was held in the ried to the Praya and carried it was about half a mile. office of the insular collector of thence by a junk toa place where it

The Chief Justice-Who pre-

Mr. Jenkin:-We are in by the steamship Mindoro defendants and employed the man to carry earth.

Continuing, Mr. Jenkin said resenting Lloyd's and the owners their case was that a basket was and underwriters of the Nippon, a picul, and therefore the reponwere all represented at the of baskets-26,954. He said that but other than authorizing the he carried 26,954 baskets. The collector to use his discretion in appellants said:-No; you carried disposing of the cargo, no other 13.477 baskets because a picul is

Mr. Slade: -The word which is from Scarborough Reef with a which we say means "load." We good portion of the Nippon's car- say that 13,000 odd loads were

> was carried. I don't know basis on which his judgment proceeded for the defendent?

The Chief Justice: I think ron ought to have asked that of the Mission Etrangers, preachbefore you considered the question ed a very striking sermon to a We are indebted to the Japan- of appeal; that is the natural congregation that filled all the

May 24th.—His Majesty is pro- said that he would give roughly cent attempts in Hongkong in gressing favourably. Temperathe points on which he based the direction of the re-union of ture: -38.6 (C.) at noon; 39.8 at 4 his judgment. One thing, of Christendom. Perfect union; he p.m. Respiration:—26 at noon; course, was the word tam. It eaid, would only be possible 28 at 4 p.m. Pulse:—76 at noon; hada double meaning—a load, and when all men learned to obey butchers' coolies in Victoria Street, 28 at 4 p.m. Pulse :— 70 at noon; much spicul,—and the natural mean-God's commands in respect to Bulletin issued at 7 s.m. on ing he took as load carried on the the Sacrifice of the Mass. the 25th inst.—Temperature:— shoulders of a coolie in two bask- He referred to the accounts 37.6; pulse, 72; respiration, 24. ets with slings, the average load in the Home papers of an Balletin issued at 4 p.m. on carried in that way, weighing Anglican brotherhood whose the 25th inst.—His Majesty's about 100 catties. The same members had recently come over, condition is showing a gradual word applied to weight and to in a body, to the Catholic Church. improvement. Temperature:— the load and in that way a load These men, he eaid, had for years 37 at noon; 38.6 at 4 p.m. Pulse: became as a pioul, being the been devoting their time to study 78 at noon; 78 at 4 p.m. Re- average weight an ordinary coolie ing how reunion might best be

picul each; that appealed to him

to agree with the natural meaning of the word tam. The defendants' case was that a ching equalled 120 baskets of one picul each. If that were so, a coolie would carry about 266 lbs or nineteen stone, which seemed to him to be rather impossible. The defendant had ocunted 75 catties to the picul for

Mr. Slado said that a coolie could not carry two baskets of Wo, 100 catties each. He might carry the respondent. The appellants a little over 100 catties but he would not carry two loads over the long distance of the kind in the case. This was all day work and the man would be going backward and forward all day. and gained the war, medal with Mr Leo D'Almada e Castro, ap- of the court below, should be his captaincy. On the North M. W. Slade K.C., instructed by for disturbing the judgment had West Frontier he saw a great Mr Otto Kong Sing, appeared for been given and it was not for the court of appeal acting on general dealt with the decision of jury. The Chief Justice:—That is Yet it had to be shown, to the satisfaction of the court, that Mr Jenkin:—It is the whole the judgment of the court below was wrong. If it were doubtful Mr Slade: -I don't agree, my whether it were wrong or not, judgment would be affirmed. So far from it being wrong there was every proif bability of its being right; there the reversal of the judgment.

Mr. Jenkin, replying as to the They had no means

Mr Slade :- It is arise of about

Subsequently the Chief Justice

Mr. Jenkin remarked that it was should be settled by the Puisne Judge hearing further evidence.

## CELEBRATIONS.

Sermon by Fr. Tour.

Yesterday being the Sunday within the Octave of Corpus. Christi, the annual procession took place round the Cathedral Mesers. Struckmann and Comp- dent was entitled to be paid at the After Vespers an immense promeal. Complainant said that meal the fire-fluats, in case of any renewand potatoes were being frequently all of the outbreak. No such hapthe cargo was insured, and opponent's case was that he had grounds, consisting of all the
stoler of late. Defendant was realized bowever and Messra. Erlanger and Galinger carried just double that number sodalities, confraternities and collector's office by their attorneys, although he carried 13,477 piculs Colony, and accompanied by the band of the Philharmonics. The weather was bright, and the effect. of the many coloured banners, sashes and vestments was extremely beautiful. In the rear of the procession, preceded by incense - bearers, torch - bearers, and children who threw flowers along the path, the Bishop of damage done to the ship as the presently; on the account it shows Host in the new monetrance the diocese carried the Sacred recently presented by the people of Hongkong. In attendance on whether it would be fair to ask his Lordship were the Rev. my Lord, the Paiene Judge, to Fathers Banke, Noval, Souvez, MIKADO'S HEALTH, give me some indication as to the Gramps, de Maria, Gabardi, Vel. tora and others of the cathedral and parish clergy.

After the procession, Fr. Tour, aisles as well as the seats. After explaining the origin of the Feast the Institution of After consulting with the on Biblical and historical records, Bulletin is and at 4 p.m. on Chief Justice, the Puisne Judge the preacher referred to the re-

Sectory, Bauluty Hoard,

COMPANY REPORT	
4. S. Watson & Co , Limi	ted
The report of the general ers of A. S. Watson an	d Co.
cember, for presentation	to the
reholders at the twenty- nual ordinary general me the Company (since its	eting

May, at 12.15 p.m. states:-Gentlemen,-We beg to lay Net Profit 1912 before you a statement of the Company's business, with a balance sheet for the year ending the 31st December, 1912.

The net profits of the Company for the twelve months under Total Stocks in Trade \$730,751.27 review, after paying all charges, Building Improveincluding the salary of the General Managers and providing for all bad and doubtful debts, allowing for loss on subsidiary coins, the payment of auditors fees 8500, and including \$936.-07 unclaimed dividends forfeited, amount to \$83,590.49; to which has to be added the balance brought forward from the previous year \$1,919.85:-From this there has to be deducted general managers' commission of 5 per cont. on the net profits for the year as per Article 80 of the Added during 1912 company's Articles of Association, \$4,179.52, and remuneration of the consulting committee, as per Article 92 \$2,000.00, leaving available for appropriation

of 6 per cent, which will absorb \$54,000; write off building im- As per last Account \$106,516.73 provements, furniture, fittings, Written off for Deutensils of trade, aerated water plant and machinery, steam launch, steam lighter, water boats and motor lorry, \$20,000, write off the balance of the Philippine Added during 1912 8,269 39 Drug Company's mortage in full \$5,090.71. and carry forward to

During the year the Philippines Drug Co., Incoporated, paid off their mortgage, and the amount now standing in this account is As per last Account \$20,615.43 represented by loss in Exchange Written off for De-

A further extraordinary loss was occasioned during the year by Chinese soldiers looting the "Chinwanfu branch. This loss was Expended during small and has been treated as a 1912 .... branch concerned. No compensation so far has been awarded to the Company for the heavier losses at Hankow and Ching Kong re- Good Debts due from ferred to in last year's balance sheet; the British Minister stated that if other Ministers claimed on Sundry Debtors behalf of their nationals, he would Cash in hand do so; but until they did he did Cash at Bank not feel disposed to press the

Consulting Committee :- Hon, Fire Insurance Pre-Mr E. Osborne having resigned his seat on leaving the Colony, Dr J. W. Noble was invited to fill Eaction E. of Inland

The existing: Committee consists of Mr H. P. White, Mr J. Kowloon Inland Lot Scott Harston, Hon. Sir O. P. Chater, O.M.G., and Dr. J. W. Noble. The appointment of Dr. Marine Lot No. 293. J. W. Noble requires your con-

Auditors: - The Company's Shameen Lot No. 74 accounts at the Head Office have been audited by Mr Francis Maitland and partly by Mr W. Hutton Potts and partly by Mr C. Bernard Brown, A.O.A., who completed the audit for Mr Potts

General Managers. Honglong, 23rd, May, 1918. Bulance Sheet.

LIABILITIES. Capital Account ... \$900,000.00 Mortgage by the A.S. Permanent Reserve Fund \$154,938.52 Local and General

Liabilities in the East and in America ... Local and General Liabilities in Lon-

6,951.48 91,797.03

Mortgage on Section E. of Laland Lot No. 19 and the Building is thereon \$48,000.00 Mortgage on Shameen Lc t No. 74 Canton, and the Building s thereon Advance against Mortgage (up to \$125,000 ) on Marine Lot No. 293 and the B wildings thereon. Kowloon Inland

Lot No. 1,208 and the Buildings

Bills Payable, Hongkong and China... Unclaimed Dividends ... Security Deposits from Staff

Account: Account ....

ASSETS.

ments, Furniture, Fittingsand Trade Utensils at Hongkong, Canton, Amoy, Tientsin and Shanghai; and Native Branches:--

Written off for Depreciation in June, ... 1912

Aerated Water and ..

other Machinery and Plantat Hongkong, Canton, Amoy and Shang-

preciation in June, 1912 .... 14,572,25 \$.91,944.**4**8

100,213.87

Steam Launches, Steam Lig hter. WaterBoatsand Motor Larry: --.

preciation in June, 1912 ... \$ 17,850.00

Total ... 199,786.45 assist

Customers

mis and Licences unexpired Lot No. 19 and the Buildings thereon. \$60,000.00 No.1,208 and the

Buildings thereon. and the Buildings 154,836.64 thereon ... and the Buildings thereon, Canton... \$62,000.60 Lease of Premises No. 72, 74, 76 Escolta, Manila, as per last Account

Concession Lot No. 78 and the Buildgings thereon, Canton

Watson Co., Incorporated, Manila... Mortgage by Philippines Drug Co., Incorporated, Manila, Balance

Profit and Loss. To Balance ...........\$85,510.34

45,000.00 By Balance from 1911 Account. \$ 1,919.85 By Net Profit 1912 Account.. 83,590.49

C. P. CHATER. Consult --ing Com-J. SCOTT HARmittee. J. A. TARRANT.

Secretary. General Managers. In accordance with the provi-

sions of the Companies Ordinance, 16,800.00 1911, we report to the Shareholders of A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd., that we have examined the above Balance Sheet with the books, accounts, vouchers and various securities, and have found and with the returns from the different branches.

We have received all the information and explanations we have required. The Stocks at Hongkong are as certified by the General Munagers, and those at the various branches by the Company's branch managers. We have been informed by the General Managers that an item of \$5,-090.71, appearing in the Balance Sheet as the balance of the Philippines Drug Co., Manila, PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP As per last Account \$73,559.60 Mortgage, will be dealt with in the proposed appropriation of

> 12,662.32 Subject to the forgoing observations, in our opinion, such FROMSANFRANCISCO, JAPAN \$60,897.28 Balance Sheet is properly drawn. 7,735.05 up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the \$68,632.33 Company's affairs according to the best of our information and for countersignature and take immediate the explanations given us and as delive. of cargo from slongside. shown by the books of the Com-

> > F. MAITLAND. O. BERNARD BROWN, A.C.A. Auditors. Hongkong, 23rd May, 1913.

MAXIMUM PENALTY.

Camblers Severely Dealt With.

Eight Chinese were charged cargo will be examined at the above before Mr. Hazeland, at the Police Company's godown Saturday May Court, this morning, with gam- 31st, 1913, at 10 s.m. bling at Tai Tam Tuk village. Sergeant Cashman and a party of Chinese police effected the arrests. The men were playing on a piece of waste ground on the hill-side. Mr P. P. J. Wodehouse, Deputy 2,765.43 Superentendent of Police, asked his Worship to deal severely with the defendants from Tai Tam Acting Agent. Tuk. The place where they were i mangione. 26th May, 1918 500 f 890 13,090.25 gambling was three and a half miles from a station and, in this SOCIETA NAZIONALE DI 30,940.25 case, they had to get a party of Aberdeen · from making

raid. This was not a case of 165,383.65 ordinary street gambling. There 26,656.51 was a lot of money in the party. \$13,366 75 One defendant had \$6.45. an-914.09 other \$10.82. and the third \$5-10. One day there might be ser-14,280.84 ious trouble there if the men commenced to fight. It was a regular expedition to Tai Tam THE Steamship 5,386.80 Tuk.

The maximum penalty, \$25, or in default one month, was imposed in each case.

> To-day's Advertisement

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD BREMEN.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

39,669.42 THE Steamship

"PRINZ WALDEMAR," 353,072.08 the exception of Opium, Treasure and 80th inst., at 8 p.m. Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and telegraphy. West Point Godowns, whence delivery Hongkong, 24th May, 1918.

may be obtained. 5,090.71 Optional Cargo will be forwarded on 11 // FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE unless intimation is received from the 27,021.98 Consignees before noon to-day request-ing it to be landed here.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the

All broken, chafed, and damaged 30th inst., at 1 p.m. Goods are to be left in the Godowns, The Steamer has superior accommoof June., at 9.80 A.M.

recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned Ludo-Ohina: Steam Marigation Co.'s Stewarders are carried.

I the undersigned.

NORDDETTROHER T.T.OVD

Steamers. Fare for round trip \$120. WORDDETTROHER T.T.OVD No Fire Insurance will be effected. Beture tierets are available by the by the undersigned.

MELCHERS & CO., General Agents. \$85,510.34 Hongkong, 26th May, 1918.

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THE STORE FOR EVERYONE The Queen's Road Central Co. AND GENERAL MERCHANTS.

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To-day's Advertisements

COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. " NILE,"

PORTS AND MANILA.

The above montioned vostel having arrived Consigners of cargo are bereby n tifed to send in their Bills of lading Cargo impeding discharge will be landed immediately at consignees' risk

and expense. Cargo remaining undelivered Wednes. day the 28th., inst., at noon will be landed at consignres risk and expense. Cargo remaining undelivered Monday June 22nd 1913, at noon, will, in addition to landing charge be subject to PRICES: \$3 & \$2.

storage charge. No fire insurance whatever will be All chafed and otherwise damaged

No claims will be entertained unless accompanied by short-delivery note! or list of exceptions taken at the time of delivery to consignees and signed for and on tehalf of the Pacific Mail S.S. Co. All claims must be filed on or before June 26th 1918, otherwise they will not be recognized.

O. H. RITTER.

SERVIZI MARITTIMI. the STELM FOR BOMBAY VIA SINGA-

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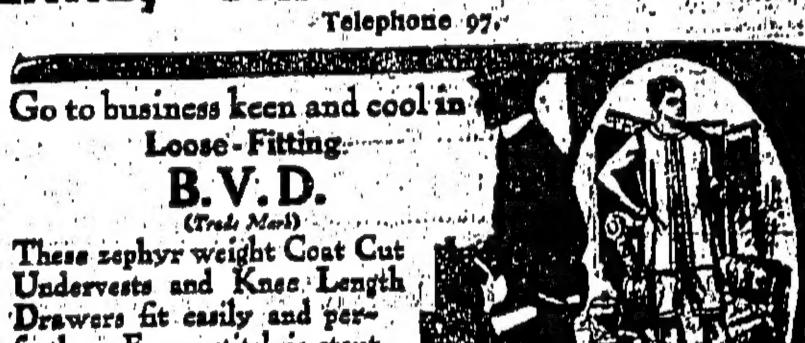
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Outbreak on British Steamer from India.

Boston, April 14.—Fire in hold No. 2 of the British steamship Kerema threatened heavy damage to-day. The vessel arrived on Saturday from Calcutta and Colombo with a cargo of burlap, ute, and hides valued at \$1,000,000. The blaze was discovered on Friday, 300 miles out, but was not known to the harbour authorities until to-day. The steamship was taken from her pier to an anchorage and steam forced into the hold.

Dairen Dockyard. The Dairen Dockyard which belongs to the Kawasaki Shipbuilding Company, commenced the work of extension early in April, the growth of the port requiring greater accommadation. Since the year before last the number of ships wishing to use the dock has been on the increase. The present dockyard. being just us it was left by the Russians, is not suitable to meet the demand. It is too small and narrow at the entrance compared to its length and it is almost impossible for large ships to enter. Extension work was decided to be done by the department of harbour improvement of the South Manchuria Railway Co. The dook at the narrowest to 55. The length, which is 288 feet, will not be changed. After is expected to be in October, it is stated that a ship of 5,000 tons gross will be able to enter without difficulty.

#### Port of London-Dock improvements.

The Port of London Authority mittees have appointed their follows :- Dock and Warehouse Committee, Mr. J. G. Broodbank; n connection with the National Railway of Mexico at Manzanillo River Committee, Mr. W. Varco Williams: Staff Committee Mr. C. J. W. Pormoney : Parliamentary Committee, Mr. L. A. Martin; Finance Committee, Sir Montagu C. Turner. New Board of Trade rules respecting life saving appliances have been considered conneciton with their application ' to Authority's craft. The revised regulations necessitate the fitting of the suction dredger Lord Deaborough. 21 steam hoppers. and two steam tenders, with bost accommodation on each side sufficient for all persons on board. The work in connection with the dry-docking facilities of the port is completed at the Millwall Dok. the graving dock there havnig graving docks in the port, other existing structures are being improved.

Clyde Shipbuilding Returns. The Clyde shipbuilding output during April, aggregating 118,700 tons, has been exceeded only once beforeingny single month, viz., in June. 1906, when the total 236,000 was 124,500 tons. The total of tons for the four months of the year is easily the highest for that King's Building (opp. Bluke Plar). O. H. RITTER, Telephone No. 141 period. April's huge total is 80counted for by the launch of the Cunarder Aquitania, which contributed one-third of the total. The new orders booked are of small

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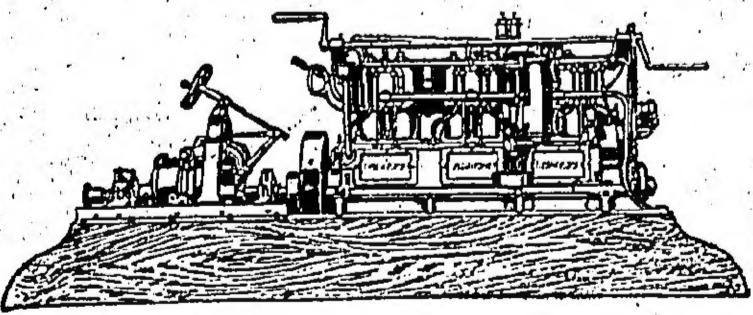
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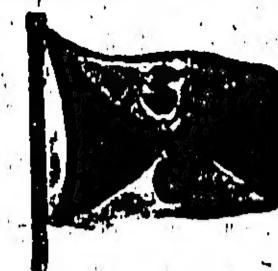
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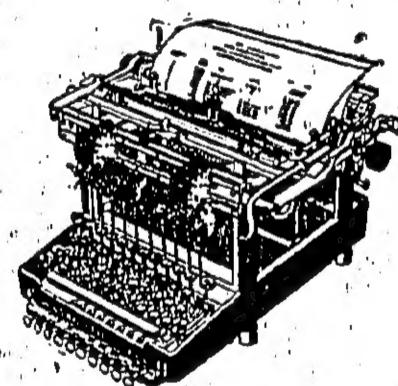
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HM.S. DEFENCE.

More than a Normal Share of Sen Time.

A complaint reaches me, says notes, as to the overdue relief of the armoured cruiser Defence, which was commissioned in February, 1911. Afterher return from escorting the King and Queen on their Indian voyage, the De-

"Defence" will then be brought country at its back. home to pay-off and go into dockyard hands; but the discussion Mr. Dyer Ball, formerly the writer of "Truth's" naval epidemic of labour disputes has delayed the completion of new ships beyond all anticipation.

Trouble over Tungjen Mines. Kweiyang, May 15. - The their own country. for the delay in relieving them, Press',

THE HARBOUR WATCH.

A Play by Mr. Rudyard Kipling.

The Revolution has caused a write about soldiers and sailors of some alteration in trade relalittery gent never intrudes in the with, and that business in the talk, though we may perhaps just future will be conducted directly suspect his presence in the plot, between Chinese merchants in You guess, for instance, that he invented the somewhat elaborate China and foreign concerns in story of the practical joke played America and Europe. The preon the wicked village money- sent system, whereby the Chinese lender by a petty officer and a have to deal with agents at the marine in the interests of a simple village maiden and her 1st Cl. treaty ports, is, they say, burden-A.B. sweetheart. The sweetheart, some and expensive. This is a you must know, was so busy in plausible argument, but it may be looking after the maiden's sick shown without difficulty that the mother or in making himself gen- existing system is the best in the erally useful about the house cirumstances which prevail towhile the maiden looked after day, and will continue to be the her, that he let his ship sail best for many years to come. for Australian waters without There are extremely few Chinese. who bade the maiden either dence which would be entailed in promise to marry him or see her direct trade. It is obvious that sweetheart marched off-by a a small misunderstanding in marine now getting tipsy at the regard to a business deal of any village tavern—as a deserter. The magnitude might result in great maiden was in tears until a cunn- friction and loss. Moreover, there ing old petty officer, who happenis the question of credit to be coned to be handy, concocted a little sidered. Large American or plan for her rescue. You see he European firms engaged in the exknew that marine, who, when port trade know from experience sober, was one of the best amateur that their foreign agents at the of water (applied externally) soon fill their orders with confidence sobered the marine, and then they and without demur. The situation pulled the moneylender's leg in would, however, be quite different fine style. They dressed up the were Chinese firms to endeavour lat Cl. A. B. in one of the money- to do business direct. It would lender's overcoats and then pre- take time to establish the mutual tended to arrest the owner on the confidence on which so much charge of disguising and other- depends in modern business wise aiding and abetting affairs. Moreover the foreign was thoroughly frightened and both foreign and Chinese condiinduced to part with some hard tions, and it has been essential cash, which was gallantly handed that he should keep in the closest over by the marine to the maiden touch with exchange. Considered from a broad standpoint; the as a dowry. Though we have our doubts foreign agent in China is found

about the village maiden and the to be a help rather than a hindrmoneylender, the soldiers and ance to China's trade. He has marine, quite drunk and altoget. Chinese want and he is better pleasant, is irresistible. - able to communicate his know-The "Times."

BRITAIN'S DUTY TO CHINA.

Manufacture of Opium in the British Empire.

In connection with the annual meetings of the Society for the treaty ports, which have done Suppression of the Opium Trade, such notable work in extending an important conference was held the sphere of China's foreign at the Caxton Hall on April 24 trade.—" Far Eastern Review." under the chairmanship of Prof. Caldecott, of King's College.

Speaking on the spiritual and moral aspects of the problem, tory of moral force over material interest. "

The unwisdom of the policy of the British Governments on purely commercial and diplomatic several speakers, including Dr. " F. B. Meyer and Mr. J. W. Wilson, M. P.

It is known that the two other "Inde"Indomitables" and the "Indefatigable" are to join the "Invincible" in the Mediterranear vincible" in the Mediterranean opium from China it had not an when commissioned, and the ounce of public opinion in this cotton are falling due this mouth,

In the course of an animated of Hongkong, severely criticised the liberty accorded to Chinese sailors to smoke freely in the East End of London the opium which Mexican Dollars: market rate: it was a criminal offence to use in

fence was despatched to China at Hunanese are mining in the Tung- A resolution calling on the Dragon Dollars: native very short notice; and when she jen district. The people of Kwei- Government to relieve China was recalled to Eugland she chow object to Hunan troops forthwith from any obligation to Shanghai Gold Bars: received orders at Colombo to at- crossing the border to protect admit Indian opium to her ter-Her people therefore have had of Kweichow will shortly be ing the strictest limitation of the Sovereigns: buying more than a normal share of sea divided between the four adjoin- manufacture and sale of opium time. But apparently the Ad- ing provinces. This fear is pro- and kindred drugs throughout miralty are not wholly to blame bably groundless. - "China the British Dominions and Peking Bar ... Tls. 353 Protectorates,

### COMMERCIAL.

China's Foreign Trade,

of China, and it was inevitable Here was the chance in mercantile life who could the wicked moneylender, efficiently perform the corresponthat in agent at the treaty port is end the moneylender equipped with a knowledge of

> A Slump in Indian Cotton in Japan.

ledge to his principals than could

the Chinese. Possibly in the

future there will be a develop-

ment in the direction of closer

association between the Chinese

and the foreigner in China, and

this will be welcomed. But we

has not yet come for the Chinese

to seek to dispense with the ser-

vices of the foreign firms in the

venture to assert that the time

The "Asahi" notes that the Canon Masterman said the quest total purchases of Indian raw tion was whether this country cotton made by Japanese cotton should adopt an attitude of active merchants since the opening of co-operation or merely of passive the season this year have amountacquiescence in China's great ed to about 800,000 bales, and struggle against the drug trade, the total purchases of American a struggle which meant the vic- cotton to about 350,000 bales. About 740,000 bales of Indian cotton and the greater portion of American have been sold to apinning companies, and about 60,000 bales of Indian and grounds was emphasised by a quantity of American cotton are still held by merchants. Affected by the Balkan situation and the unsettled political situa-Mr. Leif Jones, M. P., said the tion in China, the market price Y12 per bale. Drafts on Indian and cotton merchants of the second and lower ranks in Osaka are in a very tight corner.

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### COMMERCIAL.

Export of Japanese Matches to

The Bill prohibiting the manufacture, sale, and importation of white and yellow phosphorus matches was passed by the Legislative Council of the Government of India on March 5th this year, and comes into force July 1st. The Japaners authorities have been officially notified of the enforcement of the law. Mr Uyeda, the Chief of the Industrial Section of the Department of Agriculture and Commerce, makes the following observations on the probable effect of the law upon Japan's trade with India:-"Since the presentation of the Bill to the Legislative Council was rumoured, exporters have avoided sending the kinds objected to, and the average exports, amounting annually to Y300,000; have gradually been reduced to Y170,-000. On the other hand, the exports of safety matches yearly increased, and the latest statistics place the total exports of matches at Y1,800,000. In these circumstances, the prohibition of white and yellow phosphorus matches in India will not affect Japanese trade very much. Only 10 per cent. of the total amount is affeeted and this will be made good by the increased export of safety matches."

#### RETURN TO THE DAYS OF PIRATES.

First of the New Armed British

The Aragon, of the Royal Mail The Aragon, of the Royal Mail day, the 2nd day of June, 1913, at Steam Packet Company, which left Southampton on April 25th Works Department, by Order of for South America, was the first His Excellency the Governor, of British liner to be armed in con: One Lot of Crown Land at May Training Fighting Cocks formity with the scheme outlined Road, in the Colony of Hongkong, by Mr. Winston Churchill in his for a term of 75 years, commenspeech on the Naval Estimates.
She carries two 4.7in. guns mounted on the poop, and her sister-ship, the Amazon, will be similarly armed in the course similarly armed. In due course years, a number of other British liners PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. which trade along the principal routes will also be armed, and not merely with 4.7in. guns, for several new Canadian Pacific liners, for instance, are to carry 6in. guns.

Mr. Churchill, in his speech, remarked: "The sea-borne trade of the world follows well-marked routes, upon nearly all of which the tonnage of the British mercantile marine largely predocarried no armaments they would Bublic Courp intes be at the mercy of any foreign liner carrying one effective gun and a few rounds of ammunition."

Admiralty Supply the Guns. The greater part of the cost of the shipowners, but the Admiralty are lending the necesscompanies as gun crews.

In Leadenhall-street a shirowner told a "Daily News" representative that he supposed the new policy was caused by the report that liners owned in Germany, Austria, and Italy were being armed.

"It is only another move in the present big game of 'beggar my (2). neighbour," he said." It never occurs to the first fool, when he gets a gun, that the next chap will get one too, so that he is not a bit safer than before he had it. So far as arming British liners to protect our food supplies from oversons is concerned. I need only point out that the vast bulk of our food is brought in by 'tramps.'. Are they to be armed

sleo? While Sir E. Grey was Shaving. "The diplomacy of a choleric tramp skipper, with gung and a grievance, might precipitate a big war, while Sir Edward Grey was shaving. It's a mad business, and a retrograde one, taking us back to the bad days of pirates and privateers, when most ships were armed. The present proa posal, I suprose, srises out of the refusal of some of the Powers-England, France, Russia, and Japan principally—to agree to SHIPOHANDLERS, the American proposal, at The Hague Conference in 1907, to exempt from capture the private property of belligerents at seathat is, to abolish piracy. Germany was in favour of the

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be approved. "That the new Articles "already approved by this "purpose of identification "Chairman of the Company THE CHINA "be and they are hereby "adopted as the Articles of "the Company in substitu-" sion of all the existing Arti-"cles thereof.". JARDINE, MATHESON

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Tls 7 for 1912 Tls. 6 29'2'10 \$3 on old shares, \$1.50) on newshares for half year 31'12'12 Final div. of \$312 making **37** for 1912 50 cents for 1912 \$2.80 for 1912 5 p. c. for half to 30'6'12 & final of 6 p.c. making > 11 p.c. for 1912

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William Powell 8934 40 cts, yearending 30'6'12 Corrected to 19:30 p.m. May of 1911 by WRIGHT AND HORNBY, Share and General Brokest & De Vorza Reed Control Wel. address Recultate. Telegraph does not hold twelf eighpanelbig the say of the above granational

#### LOCAL SPORT.

LAWN TENNIS.

Results in the League Matches. Four matches were played in L. Guy. the Tennis League on Saturday with some very interesting re- M. McIvor. sults. The European Y.M.C.A. A, Ramsay. opened their season rather disastrously, going down to the Chinese Recreation Olub by 51 games to 48. Kempthorne and Haigh D. Harvey. proved the weak spot in the team, G. R. Edwards. A. H. Hamilton. scoring only six games out of a possible 33 and losing all three sets. The Olympie snatched victory from Craigengower by the narrow margin of one game, while the Civil Service, with a strong team beat the Wigwam club by the easy lead of 29 games Kowloon beat the Chinese Y.M.C.A. rather easily, winning by 73 games to 26.

As a result the positions of the | S. Kelly various clubs in the league are as | W. E. Bishop . J. Grant

P. W. L. Pts. Kowloon C. C. Civil Service Chinese R. C. Wigwam Olympic Club de Recreio Chinese Y.M.O.A. Craigengower European Y.M.C.A. 1 Details of the scores in the var-

ious matches are appended. Civil Service, 64, v. Wigwam, 35:—

Nesbit and Phillips, C. S., beat Hanson and Ludin 9-2, beat Jefferies and Evans 9-2, beat Capel and Wolff 10-1.

Barlow and Biden, C. S., beat Hanson and Ludin 7-4, beat Capel and Wolff 6-5, lost to Jefferies and Evans 5-6.

Railton and Brawn, C. S., beat Hansen and Ludin 6-5, beat Agriculture. It shows that up Jefferies and Evans, 7-4, lost to to December last 154,977 acres Capel and Wolff 5-6.

Olympic, beat Basa and Sulliad dition 6,094 acres had been let 7-4, lost to Braga and Carvalho, to 49 small holdings associations, Formosa via Keelung, Shanghai Sunkgiang, Br. s.s., 957, Finlay-Amoy
North China, Japan via Sunkgiang, Br. s.s., 957, Finlay-Amoy 5-6, lost to Rose and Hancock 5-6, and 2,984 applicants had been lost to Bass and Suffied, 4-7, best by private landowners direct. Braga and Carvalho 6-5, lost to Approximately the Small Hold- Macao-Per Sui Tai, 28th May, Rose and Hancook 5.6.

Wong Po Keung 83.

Keung 5-6, beat Ho Wing Kin additional demand during the Fort Bayard, Haiphong, Pakhoi and Howing Huen 11-0.

and Wong Po Keung 11-0, beat The proportion of applicants to Macao-Per Sui Tai, 29th May, Ho Wing Yuen and Ho Wing purchase showed no sign of in-Kin, 11-0, beat McPherson and creasing. A striking feature of Shanghai and North China-Per Un Hew Fan 7-4.

### LAWN BOWLS.

Kowloon Unexpectedly defeated by Taikoo.

The Lawn Bowls League Season was opened on Saturday under delightful conditions, and though shortly after two o'clock it appeared as though there would be a shower, the rain kept off and play was uninterrupted. Kowloon enterrained Taikoo and were beaten by their visitors by two points, despite the fact that the winning team was behind until the last two heads. The scores were :-

#### Kowloon. Taikoo R. Hall. N. Drummond. C. W. Alexander. P. Farrell. J. W. Crawford. R. Perrie. D. Cooper. J. Ferguson. (ekip 15 (skip) 22 T. Bateman. A: R. Whibley. Worth. A. Dorrington.

W. Wothers poon. (ship) 19 T. Grimshaw. J. Dickie. T. Scott (skip) 12

Civil Service v. Police. them by 12 points.

Civil Service. Police. W. H. Woolley W. Gerrard J. J. Watt C. Bond (skip) 16 A. McHardy W. Higby I. Wheal R. Fenton W. Fincher K. McLennan 20 W. Cameron Smith (skip) F. Fisher A. Clarke A. Irving G. Watt T.Glendeuning R. Duncan 16 T. Pitt (skip) 29

#### HOME NEWS.

(Continued from Page 4).

Small Holdings. Mr. E. J. Chency has submitted his annual report on the Small, Holdings Act to the Secretary for had been acquired or agreed to Olympic 50, V. Craigengower, be acquired by county councils 49: - Wilson and Stevens, in England and Wales, roughly Olympic, beat Basa and Suiliad two-thirds by purchase and one- Formosa via Anping-Per Soshu-8-3, jost to Braga and Carvalho, third on least. Of this land 5-6, lost to Rose and Hancock 124,700 acres had been let to Straits and Ceylon-Per Pala- Glenspean, Br. s.s., 3,322, Horne, Changeha ... 8,950 and 212 acres had been W. H. Viveash and A Viveash, sold to 20 small-holders. In ad- Swatow-Per Haimun, 28th Ruprecht and Weidler, Olympic, provided with over 37,000 acres ings Act has provided for Green and Hunter beat Ho years. In the year under review 11-0, beat McPherson and Un by councils from 4,076 individuals Hew Fan, 7-4, best Mohler and (69 of whom desired to purchase) and 13 associations, and of these Abraham and Mackenzie beat 2,278 individuals and eight Mcl'herson and Un Hew Fan U-2, associations had been provisionallost to Mohler and Wong Po ly approved as suitable. The year was smaller than in 1911. Wood and Pile lost to Mobiler but greater than in 1909 and 1910. the applications received was the Swatow, Amoy and Foochowlargely increased demand from Norfolk.

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MAILS VIA SIBERIA. Shaughal May 24 May 9 May 26

MAILS ARRIVED TO-DAY. Japan, s.s. Thongwa. Shanghai, s s. Anhui.

#### MAILS DUB. German, Scharnhorst, 28th inst-

Siberian, Chenan, 28th inst. The Scharnhorst with the German mail left Singapore on Saturday the 24th inst at 10 a m, and is expected to arrive here on Wed-

The s.s. Chenan is expected to The Police visited the Civil arrive here on Wednesday 28th Service on Saturday and defeated inst., with the London mail via Kinkasan Maru, Jap. s.s., 3,324, Siberia of Friday 9th inst.

MAILS CLOSE. Hoihow - Per' C, Dieredichsen, 27th May, 8 a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per Haitan, 27th May, 10 a.m.

Kudat

Borneo, 27th May, 10 a.m. Formosa via Keelung. Shanghai, North China, Japan via Nagasaki, Honolulu, Canada, United States, South America and San Francisco" (Eu-

Straits India via Bombay—Per Capri, 27th May, noon. Japan via Nagasaki-Per Glenesk, 27th May, p.m.

11 a.m.

Chiyo-maru; 27th May

Straits and Colombo-Per Shinyo Maru 27th May, 4 p.m. Haiphong, and Pakhoi - Per Helene, Ger. s.s., 771, Jessen, Tokio Kaifong, 28th May, 8.m. v . .

Adelaide, Western Australia, India, Aden, Egypt, and Europe via wig, 28th May, 9 a.m.

maru, 28th May, 9 a.m. wan, 28th May, 9 a,m. May. 10 a.m.

Nagasaki Victoria and Tacoma-Per Canadamaru, 28th May, noon.

1.15 p.m. 28th May, 3 p.m. Wing Kin and Ho Wing Yuen, Iresh applications were received Philippine Island-Per Rubi, 28th May, 3 p.m.

> Shanghai, North China and Japan via Moji (Europe via Siberia)—Per Scharnhorst, 28th May, 5 Szechuen, Br. s.s., 1,143, Jones,

kong, 29th May, 9 a.m.

1.15 p.m. Per Haiyang, 30th May

10 a.m. Shanghai, North China and Japan via Kobe—Per. G. Apcar, 30th May,

Straits and India via Calcutta-Per Yatshing, 30th May,

Macao-Per Sui Tai, 30th May 1.15 p.m.

Straits and India via Calcutta -Per Thongwa, 30th Chiyuen, for Shanghai. May, 2 p.m.

Shanghai and North Seang Bee, for Rangoon. China (Europe via, Siberia - Per Sunda, 31st May, 9 a.m.

Philippine Islands-Per Yuensang, 81st May, 1 p.m. Macao-Per Sui Tai, 31st May, 1.15 p.m.

Shanghai and North China-Per Haimun, for Swatow, Hangsang. 31st May, 5 Daijin-maru, for Tamsui.

Per Chenan, 31st May, Szchuen, for Hongay.

Swatow-Per Haimun, 1st June, Yushun, for Canton.

Tientsin-Per Cheongshing, 2nd Landrat Scheifi, for Swatow. June, 11 a.m. Swatow. Amoy and Foochow— Per Haiching, 3rd June,

10 a.m.

Adelaide, Western Aust Beilken, Insp. tralia, India, Aden, Egyp-Boheim, P. and Europe via Marseil-Clark, W. H. les (Late Letters 11 to Fedkoter, K. Noon. Extra Postage 10 Horstmann cents). (Letters posted Hashim, H. N. in all the Pillar Boxes Jaeger, Wilh in time for the first Klink clearance will be included in this contract mail.)-

### SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED. Stone.—S. T. & Co.

Seang Bee, Br. s.s., 3,784, Travis, north Japan. Taik Hong & Co.

Hongkong, Fr. s.s., 739, Mar- Light easterly or variable

nesday, the 28th instant, at about Yatshing, Br. s.s., 1,424, Ander hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, son, 24th May—Misumi 0.00 inches. 20th May, Gen.-J., M.

> Koidzum, 24th May-Miike, Coal.—M. B. K. Prinz Waldemar, Ger. s.s., 1,737, 1 Hongkong and Bremer, 25th May-Sydney 3rd May, Gen.

-M. & Co. Assaye, Br. s.s., 4,259, Coldwell, 25th May-Bombay 7th 2 Formosa Channel Sandakan-Per May, Gen.-P. & O. S. N

25th May-Moji 20th May, Gen.-D. S. & Co. Anna, Nor. s.s., 1,017, Arntzen, 25th May-Bangkok 5th May, Rice.-Kin Tye

Sing. rope via Siberia)-Per Tamba Maru, Jap. ss., 3,802, Toranka, 25th May-Shanghai 22nd May, Flour.-N. Y. K. Yushun, Chi. s.s., 1,079, Bains,

25th May-Chefoo 20th May, Gen.-C. M. S. N. Arabia, Ger. s.s., Bath, 25th May

Gen.-H. A. L. 25th May-Haiphong & Kochi -J. & Co.

Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Shinyo Maru, Jap. 8.8, 5,900, T Oshima Okuma. 25th May-

Naples-Per Prinz Lud- Gregory Apcar, Br. ss, 2,960, cutta, Penang and Sing- Hankow. pore 20th May, Gen.-D. Ichang S. & Co.

> Sabang 17th May, Coal, Gutzlaff -D. & Co.

> son, 25th May-Hai- Swatow phong and Hoihow 24th Taihoku May, Gen.-B. & S. Rubi, Am. s.s., 9,714, Miller, 25th May-Manila, P.I. 22nd Koshun

May, Gen.-S. T. & Co. Kowloon 73 v. Chinese Y.M.C.A.: 15,176 applicants in five Philippine Islands—Per Taming, Anhui, Br. s.s., 1,35°, Harris, 26th May-Shanghai H'kong 22nd May, Gen.—B. & Gap Rock ,, 29.87—— sse 2 b.

> Tingsang, Br. s.s., 1,045, Bramwell, 25th May-Canton 24th May, Gen.-J., M.

25th May-Canton 24th Gen.-B. & S. and Saigon-Per Hong Haitan, Br. s.s., J. S. Roach, 26th May-Swatow, Amoy

and Foochow 25th May, Gen.—D. L & Co. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.

May 24. Pitsanulok, for Singapore. Huichow, for Tientsin. May 25,

Empire, for Melbourne. Johanne, for Saigon. Misumi-maru, for Kwong Yuen. Arabia, for Singapore. Prinz Waldemar, for Yokoha ma. Minnesota, for Seattle. Anhui, for Conton.

Shinyo-maru, for Bombay. Yushun, for Canton. Namsang, for Canton. Szechuen, for Hongay. Borneo, for Kudat. Tingeang, for Shanghai. Assaye, for Shanghai,

DEPARTED. May 25. Linan, for Shanghai.

May 26. Shanghai, & North China | Minnesota, 10.

(Europe via Siberia) | Namsang, for Straits.

Chiyuen, for Shanghai. Empire, for Port Darwin.

Yunnan, for Canton. Lincairn, for Wakamatsu. PASSENGERS ARRIVED. Per s.s. Prinz. Waldemar, arri-

ved 25th inst., from Sydney. &c.: Saigon, Straits. Ceylon, Boluminski, Mrs. Miller, R. M. Milne, Peter Medenwald, F. Piderit, K. Stiller. B. Suppa Stin. E. Timm, Mrs Wendland, M.

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### WEATHER REPORT.

On the 26th at 11.15.—The baro-Misumi Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,900 meter has risen quickly over the Uchikichi, 23rd May— coast of China, central Japan and Kwang Yen 20th May, the Bonins. It has fallen considerably over S. Manchuria and

24th May-Singapore Pressure is highest in the Paci-19th May, Gen.—Seng fic to the east of Japan, and is slightly in excess of the normal Pheumpenh, Br. s.s., 1,065, Scott, over the China coast and the 24th May-Saigon 90th Philippines, Shallow depressions May, Gen.-Wo Fat are situated over S. Manchuria and the Eastern Sea.

> querite, 24th May-Hai- winds may be expected over the phong and Pakhoi 23rd northern portion of the China Sea. May, Gen.-A. R. Marty. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 FORECAST FOR THE 24

HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW. District. Forecast. winds, Neighbourhood fine.

The same as No. 1. 3 South coast of Thongwa, Br. s.s., 4,000, Robins, China between H.K. The same P. & O. S. N. Co.'s office,

as No. 1. and Lamocks 4 South coast of China between H.K. > The same as No. 1. and Hainan. China Coast Meteorological

Register. 26th May, a.m. . Wind.

W'ostock 7a29.8545 50 sse 1 -Tsingtau 20th May, Nemuro 6a29.81 -- sw Hakodate , 30,13 — se 2 — , 30.14 -- -. 29.97— se Hoihow 20th May, Gen. Nagasaki .. 29.84 -- ne . 29.86— e K'shima . 29.85— — в Kobe 19th Gen.-N. Y. Ishi'jima ,, 29.82-- s Bonin Is. .. 30.02 — ene 1 — Chefoo Drake, 25th May-Cal- Whaiwei ,, 29.8861 82 ssw 2 cb MANILA, YAP, MAR-1 Kiukiang ... 25th May-Cardiff and Shanghai ,, 29.9061 - nw 1 od KOBE & YOKOHAMA. 29.8461 — nnw 40m 7a29.8976 - 0 cSharp P. 6a 29.8876 100 nnw 2 c KUDAT & SANDAKAN | BORNEO

"a 29.9076 91 wnw 1 b 5a29.92 -- 0 -Taichu 29.89 — se " 29.89—— ne 0— 29.86— nw 6— P'dores 29.86 — - sw 2 — Canton 6a29.8977 91 - 0 c

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Pakhoi Hoihow Phulien 6a29.9173 — nnw 2 c Tourane .. 29.8675 - - 0 c ,, 29.8879 — e 2 o

,, 29.8979 — s Manila 29.8975 — 0 c Legaspi " 29.8982 — — 0 c T. F. Claxton, Director. Hongkong, Observatory, May, 26.

1 Barometer, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.

2 Temperature, in the shade, in degrees Fahrenheit. 3 Humidity, in percentage of saturation, the Humidity of air

saturated with moisture being 100, Armand Behic. 10480 T. 1st June. 4 Direction of Wind, to two Atlantique, 5 Force of Wind, according to Amazone.

Beaufort Scale. 6 State of Weather, b blue sky, c detached cloud, d drizzling rain f fog, g gloomy, h hail, l lightning, o overcast, p passing showers, q squally, r rain, s snow, t, thunder, v visibility, w dew wet). '0 Rain in inches, tenths and hundredths.

### METEOROLOGICAL,

Previous Day On Date On Date Barometer 29.83 29.80 Temperature 79 79 Humidity 89 Wind Direction ! Force Weather

H.K. Observatory, 24th May, 1913. T. F. Claxton, Director.

TIDE TABLE. 26th May to 1st June, 1913. High Water Hongkong Mean Fine.

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